



Indonesian youngsters flee rifle-wielding marines

## Sukarno Bans Anti-Reds

SINGAPORE (AP) — President Sukarno of Indonesia ordered a powerful anti-Communist student organization dissolved Friday, banned all demonstrations and imposed a curfew on Jakarta, a broadcast from the Indonesian capital reported.

Sukarno acted after the student organization led a five-mile funeral parade of 10,000 through Jakarta protesting what they called the "new Communist cabinet." Marines and police with machine-guns watched but reports in Singapore said the army sympathized with the students.

The students marched in a funeral parade for three comrades—one a girl—who were shot by guards in a demonstration outside Sukarno's palace Thursday. The students were protesting Sukarno's firing of Gen. Abdul Haris Nasution, an anti-Communist, as defence minister in a cabinet reshuffle Monday.

Banned was the pro-army Indonesian Student Action Front. It led the demonstrations outside the palace as well as the funeral parade. Jakarta radio said Sukarno also banned all student gatherings of more than five persons anywhere and warned action would be taken against trouble-making students.

The Jakarta curfew starts at 10:30 p.m. and lasts until 6:30 a.m.

Nasution, who led the Communist purge after the Communist-supported coup attempt Oct. 1 failed, has vanished from Jakarta. Reached by telephone in Jakarta, his wife said she did not know where he had gone. Sources in Singapore with contacts in Jakarta said all government offices were closed and many shops were shut during the funeral parade.

## Stupich Estimates Downstream Benefits Down Drain by '67

All the money given to British Columbia by the United States for downstream power benefits on the Columbia River will be used up by the end of 1967, a New Democrat MLA estimated Friday.

David Stupich (NDP, Nanaimo-The Islands) told the legislature he figures that \$501,000,000 will be spent on the Columbia project by the end of next year, while B.C. will have received only \$373,000,000 in interest and the original payment.

Financing of the project to that date would be \$128,000,000 short, he said, which along with \$12,000,000 interest would amount to \$140,000,000.

Mr. Stupich told the House the government is not spending a world famine relief fund which had been established.

**SURPLUS FUND**  
He proposed the government should draw \$1,000,000 from its surplus revenue fund for a special account from which five per cent interest payments, or

\$50,000 a year, could be earned and turned over to the United Nations International Children's Emergency Fund.

The MLA also said he does not see any point in stockpiling a large surplus revenue fund.

**NOT DEBT-FREE**  
He said the government cannot claim to be debt-free because the B.C. Hydro alone has a total liability of nearly \$1,000,000,000, or \$547 per person in the province.

This is a "very real liability to the people of this province," who have to pay in their light bills the five per cent interest on this debt.

**LBJ Meeting Press Today**  
WASHINGTON (UPI)—President Lyndon Johnson was scheduled to meet with reporters for a formal news conference today.

**Russians Move Troops Near China Frontier**

MOSCOW (AP)—Mongolia and the Soviet Union ratified a new treaty of alliance Friday as unconfirmed reports reached Moscow that two or three Soviet army divisions have entered Mongolia.

The troops were reported sent recently because of Chinese military concentrations near Mongolia, which lies between China and Soviet Siberia.

## Dogwoods to Bloom At Tokyo Palace

Lands and Forests Minister Williston flew to Japan Friday with a handful of dogwood saplings for Crown Prince Akihito and some information about B.C.'s timber policies.

Premier Bennett told the legislature Mr. Williston left by CPA and will return very shortly.

"He takes with him a number of dogwood saplings which I promised would be sent to their Imperial Highnesses, The Crown Prince Akihito and the Princess Michiko."

The premier visited the imperial residence in May. At that time he presented a painting of B.C.'s dogwood floral emblem.

He said the royal couple showed interest in the tree and said they had in their garden trees from all over the world.

"I suggested that we would be honored to have them accept some dogwoods from us to symbolize the close ties which were being developed between Japan and B.C."

While in Tokyo, Mr. Williston plans technical discussions with Honshu Pulp and Paper over their development at Skookumchuck.



Williston, sapling

## Prison Gates Opened By New Ghana Regime

By KENNETH L. WHITING  
ACCRA (AP) — Ghana's new military regime opened the gates of the Nkrumah regime's

prisons Friday and 450 political detainees, many feeble and ill, came out.

Thousands of relatives and friends crowded around massive Ussher Fort and other jails. While firing continued briefly against a last stand by elite guardsmen of the old regime, the new leaders started a round-up of Nkrumah supporters and took steps to overhaul the country's virtually bankrupt economy.

**FOUGHT FOR RADIO**

The fighting was for control of Radio Ghana, seized by the rebels early Thursday morning. A number of special guards were reported killed in a clash at Broadcasting House.

At nearby police headquarters Lt. Gen. J. A. Ankrah, chief of the new National Liberation Council, appointed a seven-man group to get the country moving toward prosperity.

**TWO DOZEN DEAD**  
Unofficial figures indicated 20 to 25 persons were killed in the coup, including 10 to 14 of the Soviet-trained presidential guard.

The gunfire was reported to have erupted on a visit to radio headquarters by Col. E. K. Kotoka, believed to be the active leader of the revolt.

**COUNTRY CALM**

Otherwise the country of 7,300,000 persons was calm. A Tass dispatch from Peking quoted Nkrumah as saying "I am returning to Ghana soon."

The army and police continued a hunt for officials of Nkrumah's Convention People's party, outlawed when Nkrumah was deposed and the constitution suspended Thursday.

Despite the hunt, administration of Ghana outside Accra was turned over to the regional civil service instead of the armed forces.

Among those being sought in the countryside was Geoffrey Bing, 56, a left-wing British lawyer who has been Nkrumah's close friend and adviser since before independence in 1947. Some called him the power behind the ousted president.

The Ghanaian Times, formerly a special organ of the

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## I'll Be Back —Nkrumah

MOSCOW (UPI) — Ousted Ghanaian president Kwame Nkrumah said in Peking Friday that he still considers himself constitutional head of the government and that he will return to Ghana "soon," the Soviet news agency Tass reported.

Foreign Minister Alex Quaison-Sackey, who accompanied Nkrumah on his Far East mission, said the Ghanaian Asian mission "will be continued and that the president knows about the situation in Ghana."

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## Reds Blame U.S., U.K.

MOSCOW (UPI)—The Soviet news agency Tass said there were "increasingly clear hints that the U.S. Central Intelligence Agency and the British Intelligence Service had a hand in the overthrow of President Nkrumah of Ghana."

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## Help for Chronic Alcoholics, Too

# Licence-Lifting Bill Bared

By JACK FRY  
Legislative Reporter  
Attorney-General Robert Bonner's assault on alcohol closed in on two fronts Friday. New legislation aimed at getting borderline impaired drivers off the road was introduced in the legislature.

A second bill will give magistrates the power to try to rehabilitate chronic drinkers instead of sending them to jail.

The road safety section of a bill containing a number of amendments to the Motor Vehicle Act authorizes officers to confiscate for 24 hours the

licence of any driver who has liquor on his breath.

If the driver wants to get his licence back immediately, he will have to prove either by a medical certificate or a breathalyzer test that his body blood alcohol content is less than .08 per cent.

The attorney-general explained outside the House, however, that "police may not use roadside suspensions as a means of gathering evidence for further proceedings under the Criminal Code."

He said the .08 per cent level is an "arbitrary figure" which

was originally recommended by the Canadian Medical Association and which the Canadian Bar Association once suggested should be included in the drinking driver section of the Criminal Code.

Mr. Bonner said officers

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## Quebec Bankruptcies

# Tory Links Lawyer To Racket

By RON COLLISTER  
Colonist Ottawa Bureau

OTTAWA—Conservative crime-buster Erik Nielsen said last night that he can show the link between murdered Montreal lawyer Francois Payette and the bankruptcy racket in Quebec.

Starting his much-harshed, new expose of scandal, Mr. Nielsen indicated he is holding his main fire until the government answers written questions he has put on the order paper about bankruptcies. But Friday he gave the Commons a taste of what is to come.

He accused Justice Minister Cardin of minimizing the racket and added: "Bodies are being dug up all over the province of Quebec."

Cardin exploded: "Does the fact that bodies are being dug up all over Quebec or any other place mean it has something to do with bankruptcies?"

**FAVEEN ERUPTS**

Nielsen: "Does the minister sit there and endeavor to suggest to me that the murder of Payette is not linked with fraudulent bankruptcies?"

Cardin: "Can you say that it is?"

Nielsen: "I can and will do so after the minister has answered my questions."

"How?" erupted Guy Favreau, president of the Privy Council and casualty in Nielsen's last scandal-busting spree, the revelations over the Rivard case.

**FIVE COMPANIES**

Nielsen snapped that he could name five companies that Payette was connected with, but he would not do so yet.

"It will be done after the minister produces the answers to my questions," he added.

Payette's body was found stuffed in the trunk of a car in Montreal. His business was mainly bankruptcy cases.

**MAJOR ISSUE**

Fraudulent bankruptcies became a major issue in the election campaign last year.

Tory leader Diefenbaker accused the government of hiding.

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## Montreal

## Bandits Grab \$100,000

MONTREAL (CP)—Two men scooped an estimated \$100,000 from teller drawers at a bank branch Friday and escaped while frightened employees watched.

The robbers, armed with pistols and machine-guns, smashed through a window about 20 minutes before the Bank of Montreal branch, in the Hydro Quebec building on Dorchester Blvd. W., opened.

A spokesman for the bank set the loot at "about \$100,000."

**STOOD GUARD**

One bandit stood guard at a waiting car outside while two others pushed two tellers aside and gathered up money from cash drawers. A fourth came through the broken window but stayed just inside. One report said a fifth man was in the car.

J. A. Dandurand, manager at the branch, who was an eyewitness, said the men pushed the tellers roughly, saying "Move aside, you . . ." in French. The man at the window also swore and urged the others, "Quick, quick, step on it."

**NO ONE HURT**

He said five other tellers were standing behind the counter but they were not molested as they had not been given their money for the day. He said all were in reach of alarm devices to warn police but everyone, including himself, was paralyzed.

# Space Whittles at Man's Blood, Bones

By ALVIN B. WEBB JR.  
HOUSTON (UPI) — U.S. astronauts lose bits of their blood and bones during voyages in space, medical experts said Friday.

Moreover, it appears, the cosmic pilots cannot quite divorce themselves from the Eastern Standard Time zone despite the 45 minute "days" and "nights" that they live in orbit.

It is not, however, as serious as it might sound. At least, that was the optimistic tone of medical papers presented before some 750 delegates attending a three-day Gemini mid-conference review.

Several doctors said astronauts aboard two of America's marathon Gemini flights through space had somehow lost part of their red blood cell masses and some of the bone-

hardening calcium from their skeletons.

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Gemini 5 astronauts L. Gordon Cooper and Charles Conrad and Gemini 7 pilots Frank Borman and James Lovell, eight and 14 days in orbit respectively, "lost 7 to 20 per cent of their red cell mass," said Dr. Lawrence F. Dieffenbach of the Manned Spacecraft Centre.

No one seemed to know what happened to the red cell mass. But Dr. Charles Berry, the astronauts' personal physician, suggested earlier this part of the blood could have migrated to another part of the body or perhaps was completely expelled.

Bone calcium also tends to diminish during weightlessness, according to a team of doctors who spend some amount of time

studying astronaut heel bones and fingers.

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Dr. G. Donald Whedon of the National Institute of Arthritis and Metabolic Diseases expressed concern that "significant losses" of calcium and other body mineral "in spaceflights continuing over several weeks theoretically could lead to a serious weakness of bone and muscle."

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# Prisoners Freed

## Drinkers Hit

## Many Tests Often Needed To Zero In on Sickness

# The Weather

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San Francisco	42	52	04
Seattle	42	52	04
Spokane	34	44	04
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## Pair Found Guilty Of Capital Murder

VANCOUVER (CP) — An Assize Court jury Friday found two 17-year-old youths guilty of capital murder.

Douglas Shoemaker and Kenneth Calli, both of suburban North Vancouver, were sentenced to life in prison for the beating death last August of Nicholas Williamson in Vancouver's Stanley Park.

### 'WAS SCARED'

During the trial, Shoemaker told the court he clubbed Williamson because he "was scared" when the man tickled him on the side.

He said he and Calli went to the park with the intention of getting money from a homosexual.

Shoemaker told the court he took 26 cents from one of Williamson's pockets.

The mothers of the two youths collapsed when they heard the verdict and fell to the floor of the public gallery. Mrs. Calli cried, "No, No." She and Mrs. Shoemaker later were led from the courtroom.

## U.S. Tactics Again Hit By Morse

WASHINGTON (AP)—Senator Wayne Morse has again denounced American tactics and policy in South Viet Nam.

"The United States is leading mankind into a Third World War, out of which will come no victory," the Oregon Democrat said Friday in the Senate.

Morse charged a \$4,800,000,000 bill to help pay for war materials is an "open-handed invitation to the continued expansion and escalation of the Viet Nam war."

The bill is expected to reach a Senate vote early next week. There is little doubt it will pass.

## Lose 10-15 Lbs. A Month On New Air Force Diet

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WASHINGTON, D.C. (Special)—This is the revolutionary new low carbohydrate diet that everyone is suddenly talking about. It is known variously as the Air Force Diet, the Astronaut's Diet, the Airline Pilot's Diet, and sometimes popularly known as the Drinking Man's Diet. In effect, it allows you to drink all the liquor you want, enjoy formerly "forbidden" foods such as big steaks trimmed with fat, rich gravies, mayonnaise, lobster swimming in butter, bacon, fat, sausages and scrambled eggs — and still lose 10-15 lbs. a month. This is the one diet that really works. Senators in Washington, D.C., and Members of Parliament of Ottawa, Canada, report losing 40 to 50 pounds with ease. Bob Blackburn, the Toronto Telegram's TV columnist, reports in the current issue of MacLean's Magazine (March 5, 1966) losing 40 pounds in 5 weeks while indulging himself in all kinds of rich foods and alcoholic beverages. Women report equally startling results. Calories play no part in this diet. What you do is count your carbohydrate grams, and limit your starch and sugar intake to 60 grams daily. The reason for this is simple. When your body doesn't burn up all starches and sugars you eat, the excess carbohydrates quickly turn into unsightly fat. On a low carbohydrate diet your body is forced to call on its own fat (stored carbohydrates) for energy and thus you lose fat. When the fat is gone you will cease to lose weight, and your weight will remain constant. Counting carbohydrate grams is easy. The new Air Force diet manual lists the carbohydrate content of over 1,500 foods and 50 alcoholic beverages. And gives the detailed rules to follow this new diet. It also gives typical low-gram menus that are every bit as pleasant as not dieting at all. The new Air Force diet manual was primarily designed for Air Force personnel to keep in fighting trim. But it has proven to be more than that. It has proven to be a Godsend for people who hate dieting — who find salad without dressing unbearable, eggs without bacon unthinkable, dinner without martinis uncivilized. In short, if you like to live well and have a weight problem, this new diet manual will change your life, as it has for thousands of others. Recently published as a private edition in Canada, the diet manual can now be obtained by sending \$2 to AIR FORCE DIET, Room 311-G, 82 King Street East, Toronto 1, Canada. Unconditional money back guarantee. If after trying the diet for 30 days you have not lost 10-15 lbs., simply return the diet manual and your \$2 (plus postage) will be refunded promptly and without argument. Tear out this message as a reminder. Decide now to regain the trim attractive figure of your youth—while still enjoying hearty breakfasts, lunches and dinners — and drinking all the liquor you want. Order now before others snap up the limited supply.

## Anti-Smoking Drive Cuts Cancer—Martin

Health Minister Martin told MLAs in the Legislature Friday, his department's anti-smoking campaign is partly responsible for a decreasing incidence in lung cancer.

There were 405 cases last year as compared to 427 in 1963.

## U.S. Slashes Draft

WASHINGTON (UPI) — The U.S. defense department Friday slashed the March draft call by 10,500 men because of a jump in voluntary enlistments.

Instead of drafting 32,900 men in March, the army and marines will take 22,400—the lowest number since the 16,500-man call last August.

The largest draft since the big buildup was ordered for Viet Nam was the 45,224-man call in December. It was followed by 38,280 in January and 29,400 this month.

The pentagon said the March quota was cut because of "a continued favorable enlistment trend."

The March call was reduced to 18,400 men for the army and 4,000 for the marines.

## Quake Hits Shillong

CALCUTTA (AP)—A moderate earthquake Thursday hit Shillong, 300 miles from Calcutta, reports reaching here said Thursday night. There have been no reports of damage or casualties.

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## Monopolistic Profits

IN THE FREE enterprise system under which many Canadian industries and services work it is not a crime to make profits. Indeed it is the very essence of the system, and if the profit motive was removed enterprise would end.

There is, however, a world of difference between the profits made by corporations which have to face the keen blast of competition either from rivals at home or abroad, and the profits made by corporations that have unassailable monopolies.

Into this latter category comes B.C. Telephone, which enjoys a virtual monopoly of the telephone service in British Columbia.

During the past week, B.C. Telephone, with some obvious pride, announced its most successful year on record.

From revenue of just under \$100,000,000 B.C. Telephone earnings were over \$22,000,000 before interest and fixed income dividends, giving it a return of 6.63 per cent on its total capital.

This was an almost inflationary increase of 15 per cent on the corresponding figures for 1964.

The question that will now be asked is whether B.C. Telephone in its extraordinarily privileged position is taking too much out of the public "kitty."

The Board of Transport Commissioners, which regulates the activities of B.C. Telephone (because the company holds a Dominion charter), has not held a hearing on the company's rates since 1958.

At that time the company was in nothing like as good shape as it is today, and it was granted various increases in exchange rates and long distance call charges.

Since then B.C. Telephone earning power has increased considerably and the value of its common stock has risen—despite dilution—from \$44 to \$76. Its earnings per share have also increased from \$2.91 in 1960 to \$4.16 in 1965.

Because B.C. Telephone holds a monopoly it is difficult to make comparisons, but it should be noted that another large privately-owned telephone company in Canada, Bell Telephone, has enjoyed no such corresponding increase. Indeed Bell common shares are selling today at \$57 or two dollars less than they were in 1961. Also during that five-year period Bell earnings per share have risen from \$2.50 to \$2.92, a much more moderate climb than that experienced by B.C. Telephone.

While it is true that Bell has a larger proportion of its capital in common shares than has B.C. Telephone, thus increasing the leverage factor of the latter, the great difference in the earnings capacity of the two companies is important as evidence.

It would seem appropriate on this basis that a new hearing on rates should be asked by B.C. Telephone users, to satisfy doubts that exist in the public mind.

More than 80 per cent of the B.C. Telephone business is centred around Vancouver city and the southern part of Vancouver Island.

Yet the three minutes person-to-person toll charge between Vancouver and Victoria is \$1.50, a rate that must rank as one of the worst telephone bargains in the world today.

If it is at all alarmed by growing public feeling that B.C. Telephone should be turned into a Crown corporation as B.C. Electric was in 1961, then it should be in the telephone company's own interest to welcome an investigation into its rates, or even to suggest to the Board of Transport Commissioners that the time has come for authorizing some form of relief to its customers.

## No Need to Rush

THE IDEA OF THE Capital Region District buying Victoria's Elk-Beaver Lakes property as a regional park probably has more to commend it than the suggestion that the Greater Victoria water board should do so, and either might be preferable in some respects to the arrangement advocated by Saanich. But haste in bringing any of these plans to fruition could be a mistake.

Under the agreement discussed by Saanich and the city for several months, Victoria would dedicate the property (now held as a watershed) as a park, presuming the ratepayers agreed. Saanich for its part would devote half a mill of taxation to the maintenance and development of the park, a rate estimated to yield \$580,000 over ten years. At present these costs are shared evenly between the city and Saanich; this year, if the estimates are approved by the council, each will spend about \$10,500.

This plan presupposes that Saanich would be able to obtain legislation permitting councils of later years to be bound to the bargain, and also possibly presents a danger that the municipality at some time in the future might want and be able to tax the city-owned property in its new designation, exempt though it is as watershed. Also it would give Victoria no compensation, other than relieving it of park costs, for its investment.

The investment originally was not great—around \$38,000, the records indicate. But at 5 per cent compound interest, according to the calculations of the city manager eight years ago, it had then appreciated to \$864,113. If the land is to be written off as a saleable asset, city council would seem to have a responsibility to the taxpayers to seek some recompense.

Sale of the property to the water board would have the advantage of repaying Victoria to a degree for its investment and also would enable the whole district to participate in the purchase and running of the park, through the water rates.

Likewise selling the land to the Capital Region District would accomplish the same object: all the Greater Victoria municipalities, except Esquimalt, and the unorganized areas would contribute to the purchase and upkeep of the park. And in addition this would bring provincial help into the picture, the province granting a third of the regional parks costs.

The first aim of the new regional parks authority, however, is and should be to secure for public use potential parklands that are now in imminent danger of being subdivided and developed privately. The board has no time to lose in this endeavor. To devote part of its budget at this time to buying and operating an established recreational ground would be to throw away last chances to acquire other property the region will need.

This—and the fact that public opinion would never stand for city council disposing of the Elk-Beaver Lakes land for residential or other private use—suggests that a rush to put one plan or another into effect would be inappropriate.



Rip Van Victoria

## Ottawa Offbeat

### Pickersgill Impassive Under Fire of Critics

By RICHARD JACKSON  
Colonist Ottawa Bureau

IT might be reasonably impressive if it weren't really so hilariously funny to see and hear Transport Minister J. W. "Jolly Jack" Pickersgill swearing by all that is politically holy that he never never never could be interviewed, much less interviewed with any apparent "independent" federal agency.

Would he be so much as nod to the Board of Broadcast Governors or wink to those in high government places to influence the switching of a television channel over several million dollars?

Heaven, no! Gracious, not only would such a thing never occur to him, but he wouldn't really know how to go about doing it even if his lily-white halo did, by sheerest accident, slip for just a moment.

That's what, utterly deadpan, he has been telling Parliament. And strange, new minority Parliament that it is, with so few members who have been around for enough years to know better, a surprising number of wide-eyed newcomers appeared, incredibly naively, to believe him.

Crazy! For there isn't a man in Parliament—not one—who better knows how to do things, including the kind of things that involve people with influence "leaning" on federal agencies, "independent" or not.

For "Pick" almost certainly stands alone as the most select of the select few in the inner circle of the cabinet who knows the government and its complicated ways backward, forward, sideways and upside down.

The others in this charmed circle—Finance Minister Mitchell Sharp, Industries Minister "Bud" Drury, Citizenship Minister Jack Nicholson.

Man, you must be kidding! And if the right wheels don't turn in the designated places to do the expected job when Mr. P. presides the button—or more realistically, picks up the

phone and murmurs into it—then who knows better what to do? Somebody wakes up dead. Nobody in any federal agency can "snow" him.

He knows, by now almost instinctively, what the bureaucratic reaction to his political action should be—and it better be the right one.

And that second joke, that even if he did know how to put the pressure where it would do the most good, he just wouldn't make it doing it?

Remember the time, not so long ago—back around 1952 or '53—when he was still Privy Council clerk and accompanying former Prime Minister Louis St. Laurent on a western tour?

And they reached the Fort Garry Hotel in Winnipeg where somebody had forgotten to roll out the red carpet for "Uncle Louis" quickly and luxuriously enough to please "Pick"?

The poor old hotel manager, Robert S. Pitt, didn't know what his him until he found himself standing to the Prince Edward in Brandon, Man., a dead end, if there ever was one, in the CNR hotel chain.

It was "Pick" he found out when the affair, exploding into something of a cause celebre, reached a Commons committee for investigation. There it roared on for weeks with the Opposition screaming for the Pickersgill scalp.

But "Pick" came out of it safely, if not exactly smelling of roses, and poor Robert Pitt started on the long road back to the management of one of the major CNR Hotels. Today he runs the Macdonald in Edmonton, and if he's heard Pickersgill's protestations of innocence, even ignorance in the fine art of "the fix," he must be laughing himself sick.

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## 'Greedy Fingers' Cause of Indignation

### U.S. Defended

I HOPE you will grant me space to protest any further misuse of Southfork Park by Western Mines.

As one of countless thousands who knows and loves our parks—I view with a sickening sense of loss the gradual encroachment of industry's greedy fingers into areas once held inviolate. First it was Hydro, now it's mines. Already their barbed wire and signs bar the people from their own park.

And how do they show their gratitude for this great privilege? They got the mine—now they want a township. Not outside the park; not in the area generously offered where they would do the least damage. Oh, no! They want a fresh, unspoiled location to despoil.

The argument of Western Mines that a township outside the park would involve too much travelling for the workers (approximately 25 miles) is not valid. Numerous people in British Columbia travel an equal distance every day; hundreds more travel an equal amount in time. The greedy demands of this company, which cares for nothing but its own profits, should be curbed firmly and finally. Townships do not belong in parks—particularly wilderness parks—and it is to be hoped that this government, which advertises itself as the guardian of the people's interests, will realize that it is selling out "brightest for a mess of pottage."

HEARTSICK PARK LOVER

be in a position to blackmail the rest of the world. In this event where would Japan stand, who even now wants closer relations with China.

So, fellow Canadians, let us by all means condemn the Americans for their intervention in Viet Nam! Let us feel safe and secure under their defensive wings.

By the way, in case some of us have forgotten, America is the main reason why many parts of the world are not under Communist domination today.

Could it possibly be that America is trying to help an oppressed people seek their liberty and self-determination? I, in this instance, think they are and that they deserve Canadian support instead of condemnation.

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## Food Fads and Fancies

### In Famine People Died Rather Than Alter Diet

MOST of us claim that we eat the food we like. It would be truer to say that we like what we eat. Upbringing, social habits, status, family life, religion, work and the desire for prestige, all conspire to fix our diet.

At Christmas, the Briton consumes his turkey, mince pie and pudding, as a matter of ritual. The American must have his turkey and pumpkin pie at Thanksgiving—ritual again.

Ignorance, prejudice, suspicion and misunderstanding play their parts. It took, for example, some 50 years to establish the potato as a main item in Irish meals and agriculture. But in relatively-developed England it lay under suspicion for the better part of two and a half centuries of being poisonous, before it gained general acceptance.

More recently, the tomato forced its way into the Anglo-Saxon salad bowl against much the same sort of prejudice. Also, the Frenchman enjoys snails, but would be horrified if offered crickets—a Nigerian delicacy!

Few of us, moreover, associate eating only, or even primarily, with nutrition. The daily meal can be, at various times and for the same persons, an aesthetic or physical pleasure; the focal point of the family day, bringing father, mother and children together; or a social occasion linking relatives and neighbors.

In trying to persuade people to improve their health by changing their diet it is not enough, therefore, merely to instruct them. Their available choices, preferences and prejudices, must all be considered, together with their attitudes, beliefs, customs and the rituals which are inseparable from the social side of eating.

There are also their taboos. The most familiar are those associated with pregnancy and birth. But there are others like that debarring a Zulu woman from drinking milk from cattle whose owners are not of her own kinship group. In the Tiv community of Nigeria the basic diet consists of rice, a pudding prepared from pounded yams and served with a gravy seasoned with vegetables or condiments. A favorite side-dish for the men only is pork. For the women it is taboo. In the same tribe a chicken may be killed and eaten not so much as a luxury but as a way of welcoming a member of the same kinship group, or his friend.

THE attitude of people toward the animals they live with is also a factor in diet. Over wide areas of Africa and in India the cow is a friend, treated almost like a relation or with deference. Its slaughter in India is not tolerated. In Africa, its slaughter will have a masky or a ceremonial or celebratory significance—the eating of the meat will be incidental. Even when relatives and neighbors have been able to indulge in a fair amount of meat-eating, thanks to a succession of celebrations in various homes, it will still not be regarded as in any way part of their normal diet. In the eyes of the eaters, it is the ritual element which is important, not the nutrition.

The nutritionist in any country, therefore, is apt to find himself up against a wall consisting partly of ignorance, but even more of a way of life in which scores of human habits, customs, attitudes and beliefs have been cemented

together over many generations. He may be faced with such extreme examples of resistance to change as those occurring in the 1943 Bengal famine when many who were offered wheat in lieu of rice refused it. Some complained that it was too hard, difficult to cook, indigestible, but the essence of their objection was simply that they did not believe in it as a food.

Faced with an unacceptable choice, they preferred to die. In post-war-hungry Germany, similarly, maize was regarded by many only as cattle food.

At less serious levels are the dietary beliefs, non-beliefs, likings and dislikes common among people with strong traditions of family eating. Thus an Italian, brought up to take his meals with his parents, and often with his grandparents also, inherits their conservative eating habits in an atmosphere of enjoyment; and, as an adult, tends to adhere to the same food patterns wherever he may be. During the Second World War, when olive oil was almost unobtainable in New York, Italian-American families paid ransom prices rather than go without.

RELIGION has also played an immense role in dictating food habits. In Assam, an attempt to introduce more and better pork collapsed because of the black-and-white markings of the chosen strain of Berkshire pigs which could have increased production threefold were it not for religious reasons. Many Jews shun pork entirely, for religious reasons. In India, which has one-third of the total cattle population of the world, only 25 per cent of the people eat meat, partly for economic reasons, but above all, because the cattle are protected by religion.

As well as appealing to scientific evidence to help him bring about changes in eating habits, the nutritionist therefore looks also to the anthropologist, the sociologist and the social psychologist to aid him. Supported by their studies of what people do and why they do it, it then becomes possible to persuade people not so much to abandon traditional diets as to modify them, shifting the balance a notch or two in the right nutritional direction. This is sometimes all that is necessary.

"Inosperine," a protein-enriched food made by mixing maize, sorghum, cotton-seed flour, dried yeast and synthetic vitamin-A, is being successfully introduced into the diets of schoolchildren in Central America, primarily because it can be made into an appetizing gruel, called *atole*, of a kind they already know and enjoy. Tailoring the food to their tastes called for eight years of laboratory work and much trial and error.

Some Mexican experiments in introducing a small proportion of fish flour into bread, cookies, biscuits, tortillas, noodles and bean foods, without changing their flavor, smell or appearance, also seem to have worked well.

IN fact, where there have been big changes in food habits they have often been hard. Many occur following the shift of country people into towns. Outbreaks of kwashiorkor, a notorious child-killing deficiency disease, have been traced to the

From the United Nations Food and Agriculture Organization

mistaken idea, held by many mothers, that prestige in their new environment required abandoning breast-feeding in favor of the "socially superior" bottle feed which they saw being used by their richer neighbors.

"Bought milk" is often thought to be more nutritious than breast milk, but mothers, unable to afford the necessary quantity may dilute it—and often with contaminated water. Patent baby foods, bought for the same prestige reasons, are used, because of their cost, in insufficient quantities. Scurvy, poverty and ignorance thus combine in the worst possible way.

The first stages of the change-over from subsistence to cash farming, report UN officials, cause harmful changes when homegrown foods like eggs, milk and legumes which once came normally to the family table, find their way instead to the market, or are no longer produced at all, giving way to more profitable cash crops. Nutrition education had then to persuade people to buy the best foods with the money earned.

JAPAN provides a textbook example of a country in which industrial prosperity has encouraged a much bigger use of milk, meat, eggs and fruit. Before the last war, meat was eaten only on ceremonial occasions, and the older generation hesitated to use dairy products at all.

Milk consumption since then has been multiplied by three, beef and veal consumption has gone up by more than 30 per cent, and processed meat production by 500 per cent. If government forecasts are fulfilled the demand for milk and meat in 1971 will be three or four times as great as in 1953. Yet the Japanese still consume practically as much as ever of their old favorites—rice, bread, noodles and fish. There has not, therefore, been a basic change of eating habits, only a greater—and beneficial—variation.

The forces of publicity alone are unlikely to persuade many people to make radical changes. On the contrary, a well-considered advertising campaign works best when it fosters existing tastes by vaunting the virtues of particular foods and drinks in categories for which the purchaser has already shown a liking.

It can serve effectively if linked with wider efforts, and may also encourage the use of easy-to-prepare foods. But this may also backfire in, say, a country where the social climate requires that a woman shall always be fully occupied, or where her prestige depends on her ability as a cook.

The lesson to be drawn is that man, being a conservative animal, particularly in matters of food, will accept big changes only with the greatest reluctance unless they correspond with changes in his social and economic environment.

Making haste slowly is as good a rule for the nutritionist as for any other person bent on changing and improving humanity's lot. And, before making any smallest change, he must know and thoroughly prepare the ground.

From the Scriptures  
Jesus said, Judge not, and ye shall not be judged: condemn not, and ye shall not be condemned: forgive, and ye shall be forgiven.—St. Luke, 6:37.

United Church, especially the all-out effort of Dr. H. W. Kierley who was at the scene to comfort the father and boy during the long walk, is much appreciated. Also, the assistance of the pilot who lifted the boy from the mountain-top in a Vancouver Island Helicopter Land machine to the waiting Langford ambulance.

The men were all very willing to do their best in the rescue, and were happy when it was successful.

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can wrap themselves up in their thin garment of hope, and drink a toast from the now polluted water of faith.

Of course it would be too simple to increase the pension to the minority of the aged who cannot now pay an income tax, but are constantly bled through most things they are compelled to buy.

ELLEN HART,  
East Sooke.

Sour Grapes  
Opposition Leader Robert Strachan was sadly without an axe to grind as he flung his "sour grapes" into the Legislative Chamber following Premier Bennett's reading of the budget speech. His words could not reduce or destroy the realistic

splendors that had been spread before this province's people, neither did these words increase Mr. Strachan's stature; for, despite his political position in the House, he himself represents the achievements of this government and thus he betrayed what must be his share of pride in British Columbia's record of that achievement. Instead of exhibiting an immature petulance and obdurate weakness, the NDP leader could have yielded some deserved praise that would have won him sincere admiration of an "obedient" desire to be a member of our Legislative Assembly.

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Today in History  
By The Canadian Press

King Charles I of the Two Sicilies encountered his rival Manfred, illegitimate son of Emperor Frederick II, at Benevento, Italy, 700 years ago today—in 1266—and killed him after a hard-fought battle.

Charles, a French count, had been offered the kingdom by the Pope, in return for a yearly payment. The battle of Benevento secured his claim and Charles had Frederick II's last descendant, a youth named Conradin, hanged as a rebel. Now one of the most powerful rulers of Europe, Charles's 58th attack on Cologne.

personal cruelty led to the revolution known as the Sicilian Vespers and the decay of his kingdom.

493 — Ravenna, Italy, surrendered to the Gothic emperor Theodoric.

493 — Japan and Korea signed a treaty of friendship.

Second World War: Twenty-five years ago today — 1941 — seven Axis aircraft were shot down over Malta. Germany imposed military rule on north Holland. The RAF launched its 58th attack on Cologne.



## Rhodesian Morale High, Says Couple



### Caution, Signs Moving?

Could be a new traffic-stopper? Girls with the idea of boosting highway signs are Karen Halsall, 2880 Foul Bay—she's soft shoulders—and Janice Deall, 1897 Carnarvon Street, both aged 12.—(Robin Clarke)

## Children's Show Will Tour Island

Vancouver Island youngsters will have an opportunity to see several top performers soon, in a touring production of Hansel and Gretel.

The show will tour Island elementary schools April 4 to 9 and April 18 to 23. Bill Hoyle, well-known entertainer with Victoria's Smile Show and in Vancouver clubs, appears in the children's production.

Rastion Theatre is producing the show for the tour and for April 12 to 16 performances at McPherson Playhouse.

## Publisher Tells Rotarians

## Rule Survives by Fear

NANAIMO — Rhodesia is nothing more than a police state being fed censored news, Richard Bower, president of the Victoria Chamber of Commerce, told Rotarians Friday.

Mr. Bower recently returned from a trip to Rhodesia.

"We would be wrong to think Mr. Smith has the full support of all white Rhodesians," he said.

He estimated about two-thirds of the white people are behind Premier Ian Smith.

"The present conflict is not black versus white, but legal government versus illegal government."

"Rhodesian Africans are still far from being able to take over the reins of government but it is this fear which has given Mr. Smith his large support."

Mr. Smith cannot win. It is impossible for Rhodesia to withstand the economic sanctions now being imposed.

"She has never been a particularly wealthy country," he said.

Some future warning signs were pointed out by Mr. Bower: black versus white, but legal

## Dodsworth Heads Publicity Bureau

ALBERNI — Coun. Walter Dodsworth of Oak Bay has been re-elected to his third year as chairman of the Vancouver Island Publicity Bureau.

Meeting at the Greenwood Hotel here Friday, members chose directors for various areas of the Island.

Isobel Sandberg, Campbell River; George Manning, Cumberland; Mayor Les Hammer, Port Alberni; Arthur Brown, Qualicum; Ald. Bus MacDonald, Nanaimo; Stan Keeble, Duncan; Mary Backlund, Gulf Islands; Mayor A. W. Toone, Victoria; L. M. Tegeman, Sooke, and Mr. Dodsworth.

"More than 2,000,000 tourists visited Vancouver Island last year," said Mr. Dodsworth, indicating this is an all-time high.

Mayor Toone said "we can go a long way toward making this the most important industry on Vancouver Island."

At a directors' meeting following the general meeting, Mr. Manning was chosen vice-chairman.

Four directors-at-large were named: Frank Ney, Nanaimo; Coun. Ed Lum, Sanich; Don Cunliffe, Nanaimo; Ald. Geoffrey Edgelow, Victoria.

## Island North Team Captures Quiz Title

NANAIMO—A combined team from Courtenay and Port Alberni high schools will represent the Island in the televised Reach for the Top provincial competition.

The Island North team won the Island championship Friday night in Nanaimo, defeating a team from Courtenay High in a match 240 to 210.

Students on the Island North team won a \$400 scholarship for the two schools.

Members of the winning team were Glen Paruk and Lynn Gis-Garner.

Host on the program is Terry Hillier from Alberni, and Ralph Hillier and Tim Harper from Courtenay.

The Claremont team consisted of Sylvia Warburton, Frances Morgan, Eric Peterson, Jill Tomlinson.

The match which was televised by CBLT Friday will be telecast at 12 on Channel 2.

The matches went on all this week, as Island schools fought for honors in the quiz competition.

## 'No Chance of Coup in Uganda'

## Army Chief Affirms His Loyalty

By PETER TAYLOR

NANAIMO — Ian Smith has a champion in Nanaimo. Peter Freeman, 27, an accountant in a downtown bank, is 100 per cent behind Mr. Smith.

"I don't see economic sanctions bringing the government down."

"Oil is now coming in from South Africa; Britain will not find her so easy to push around, and this has been proved in the past," he said.

### WORLD TRAVELLERS

Mr. Freeman and his wife Diane were both educated and brought up in Rhodesia, and are slowly moving around the world before going back to their homeland.

He maintained Rhodesians are firmly behind the Smith regime. "Their morale is very high," he added.

### WILL DIMINISH

He agreed some censorship might be taking place in the press, but he saw this gradually diminishing as time goes along. "The press is very pro United-Federal Party," Mr. Freeman said.

The United-Federalists are in opposition to the Rhodesian Front, Mr. Smith's party.

"I think he (Mr. Smith) was scared of such great opinion being expressed overseas that it might away the resolve of the people in Rhodesia."

"He's not a dictator," Ian Smith, he maintained, is still pulling his punches.

"If Mr. Smith really wanted to put the screws on, he could deport the 1,000,000 black African workers from Zambia and Malawi and create a tremendous problem to the north."

"If you notice, Dr. Hastings Banda (head of Malawi's government) is not saying anything. He knows his lifeline runs through Rhodesia," he said.

### NOT JAILED

Mr. Freeman claimed native political leaders are not jailed, but removed from the townships and kept on reserves.

"Most of the trouble-makers are unemployed hoodlums," he added.

### NOT KICKING THEM

"The idea is not to kick the blacks down. The present Africans now in school are the only ones we can start to do anything with."

"But this is difficult to do on taxes from only 250,000 white people. There's more money spent on African education than education of Europeans in the country."

KAMPALA (AP) — Uganda's army commander, Brig. Sabana Opoloto, affirmed Friday his loyalty to Prime Minister Apollo Milton Obote and said he would take no action to oppose Obote's suspension of the constitution.

"I am prepared to serve and support Dr. Obote," Opoloto declared. "There is no chance of any army coup in Uganda. We do not want to do the things other countries have done. As a soldier who was to maintain discipline, I would not invite other ideas. I would like people to be loyal and do what they are told."

Opoloto reported a number of troops have been moved 50 miles from the army base at Jinja to Obote's administrative capital of Entebbe to act as a security guard for the prime minister.

### 'ON ALERT'

"My troops are on the alert and ready to move anywhere in case of trouble," he said in an interview at his closely-guarded Kampala residence.

Saying he was acting to foil a plot to overthrow his government with the aid of foreign troops, Obote suspended the constitution Thursday night, 48 hours after assuming supreme powers and ordering five of his top ministers arrested. He has been prime minister since Uganda gained independence from Britain in 1962.

Opoloto said Obote intends to establish a new military hierarchy with Opoloto filling the

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newly-created post of chief of the defence staff. Col. Idi Amin, the deputy army commander alleged in Parliament to have been linked with Obote in an illegal gold and ivory deal, would become army

chief of staff in the new set-up, as defence chief and has not yet decided whether he would accept the post.

"I will have to decide whether to accept or resign," he said. "If I decide to leave, I would like to leave in a peaceful manner."

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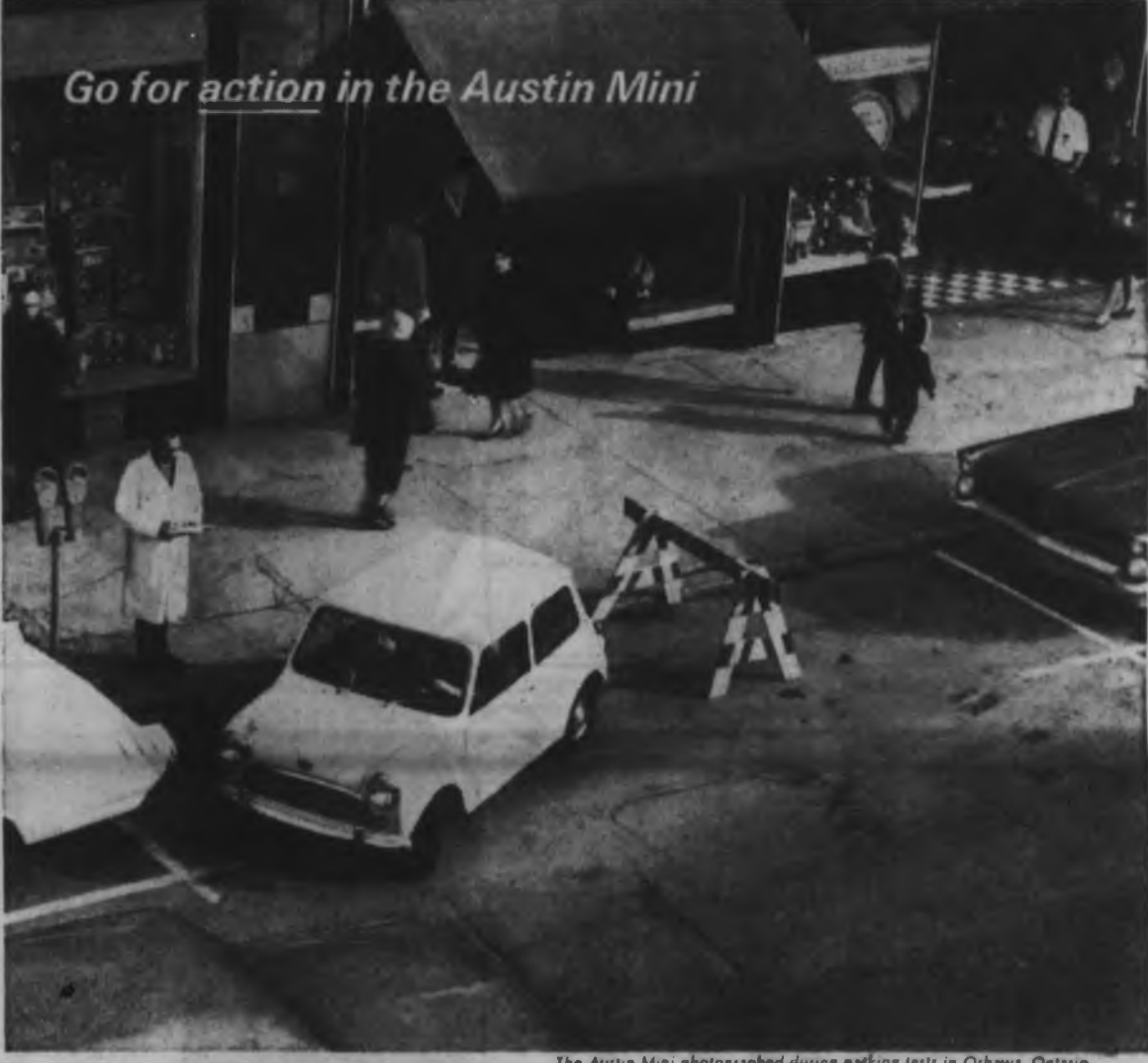
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# 'Same Power Rates'

If B.C. Hydro takes over the East Kootenay Power Company it should provide the same power rates as the rest of the province, the legislature was told Friday.

Harry McKay (L. Fernie) said this private company now sells wholesale power to Cranbrook, Kimberley, Fernie and Creston. He said the power rates in the rest of the province, the legislature was told Friday.

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## Mossler Case

# Defence Rests As Witness Proved Liar

MIAMI, Fla. (AP)—The defence rested Friday after wip-ling from the record part of the testimony of a key witness against Candace Mossler and her nephew, Melvin Lane Powers.

Circuit Judge George Schultz instructed their murder trial jury to disregard testimony given by an Arkansas convict, Arthur Grimsley, on his second trip to the witness stand Feb. 16.

Grimsley had come back to say that he made a mistake when he testified earlier Powers was in Arkansas June 15-17, 1962, offering him "the price of two Cadillac's" to kill Mrs. Mossler's wealthy husband, Jacques.

**POWERS IN HOSPITAL**

It was after the defence discovered Powers was in a Houston hospital on those dates that Grimsley returned to say that the deal was made in March rather than June.

Schultz struck out the second testimony after the defence claimed officers tipped Grimsley on his error and led him to change his earlier story—a violation of the rule against discussion of testimony outside of court.

**FALSE IN RECORD**

The action leaves Grimsley's original account—now proven false—in the record.

Grimsley also had testified that after he agreed to kill Mossler, Powers called a woman in Houston he presumed to be Mrs. Mossler and told her "he'll do it."

**LOSE ONE, WIN ONE**

While losing Grimsley's testimony, the state succeeded in strengthening that of another convict witness, Billy Frank Mulvey.

A. J. Gelfert of the Houston police narcotics squad said he recommended leniency for Mulvey when he was arrested for theft in 1964 and charged under the Habitual Criminal Act. Under this act, conviction means an automatic life sentence.

**FIRST OFFENDER**

Mulvey was tried as a first offender and got a five-year term. The defence said this was

## Quebec, B.C. Sign Agreement

Commercial Transport Minister Robert Bonner announced Friday that a reciprocal agreement has been reached between B.C. and Quebec on the licensing of moving vans.

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# Cong Villagers Defect to South

SAIGON (UPI)—A Communist defector persuaded 278 fellow citizens of his Viet Cong village to defect to the central government Friday in a major U.S.-engineered propaganda coup.

On the war front, 211 of the enemy were killed in five major offensive sweeps.

Nguyen Sac, 27, surrendered to Marines of Task Force Delta, sweeping a coastal area about 350 miles north of Saigon in the second phase of operation Double Eagle. He told them he was from Huong Tho, a village long under Communist control.

Brig. Gen. Jonas M. Platt, commander of Task Force Delta, armed Sac with a loudspeaker and sent him over Huong Tho in his personal helicopter. After strong urgings, the villagers began streaming out of their homes carrying small bundles of possessions.

The marines immediately moved them to the refugee village of Tu Hiep, where medical aid was given.

## Corporation of the Township of Esquimalt ZONING BY-LAW AMENDMENT NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the Municipal Council of the Corporation of the Township of Esquimalt has been requested to and itself proposes to amend By-law No. 186, being the "Zoning By-law 1957" in substance as follows:

- the rezoning from Multiple Dwelling to Industrial District of Lots 3 and 4, Plan 1588, No. 555 Devonshire Road, to permit the construction thereof of a building for the manufacture of plastic products;
- the rezoning from Two Family Dwelling to Multiple Dwelling District of Lots 8, 9 and 10, Plan 1588, No. 555 Devonshire Road, to permit the use thereof to provide additional accommodation for the Old England Inn;
- the rezoning of Lot A, Plan 1544, Highway Avenue, to permit the construction thereof of a public school.

All persons who deem their interest in property to be affected by the proposed rezoning will be afforded an opportunity to be heard on the matters contained in the proposed amending By-law at a Public Hearing to be held at the Esquimalt Municipal Hall, 1229 Esquimalt Road, on Monday, the 11th day of March, 1966, commencing at 7:00 p.m.

The proposed amending By-law may be inspected at the office of the undersigned on any working day except Saturday, between the hours of 9 a.m. and 5 p.m.

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# Lawyer Linked To Racket

ing the Quebec government in cleaning up the racket.

Macabre overtones were provided by the discovery of a series of bodies in lime-pit graves.

## WANTS ANSWERS

Yesterday, in the Commons, Mr. Nielsen, who single-handedly brought the government to near-destruction over the Rivard affair, rose in a strangely-quiet chamber to begin his new assault.

The questions he wants answering do not, in themselves, indicate what use he intends to make of the information.

There are four questions. They ask for . . .

## NAME OFFICERS

The names of the superintendent of bankruptcy and the date of his appointment; and the names of his predecessors and why he ceased to hold that office.

The names of people licensed as trustees under the bankruptcy act in Vancouver, Edmonton, Montreal, Toronto, Hamilton, when they were appointed, and if they were covered by a guaranty bond.

Complaints made about estates in each of the above areas during the term of licence of each of the trustees, the

nature of the complaints and action taken.

The result of the actions taken. As Nielsen warned he would go ahead when the answers were made, government House Leader George McNeil said: "Oh, a threat."

Nielsen denied that he was making threats. Mr. Cardin, he added, had an obligation to explain these matters "and he is going to make the explanations."

## EXPLANATIONS

"I for one am going to see that the explanations are forthcoming."

Nielsen said he put the questioning on the order paper two weeks ago — and there were other questions he wanted to ask.

Mr. Cardin, he said, could not sit in his place in the Commons and deny "What I put to him concerning the unfortunate demise of Mr. Payette."

He said the confusion over bankruptcies has now been magnified by the creation of a "Gordon ministry with heads."

## MORE CONFUSED

He was talking of the reshaping of cabinet responsibility so that three ministers, Mr. Cardin, Solicitor General Larry Pennell and Privy Council

President Guy Favreau take a share of the old justice department.

"This has confused the matter even worse than it was," he said.

"If this government ever expects to tackle organized crime in this country on an organized basis, it will certainly not be done by the disorganized decisions that have resulted from the trifurcation of the department of justice."

## FALSE CREDIT

Mr. Cardin, he said, had claimed that the crux of the problem was fraudulent credit rather than fraudulent bankruptcies.

But, Nielsen retorted, the problem is fraudulent bankruptcy. "That is the racket that is operating in this country."

He was not talking about frauds that precede bankruptcies, but bankruptcy frauds that have been flourishing and growing.

## Bridge Results

Winners of the Junior Bridge were: North-south 1. Percy and Florence Edwards, 2. Doris D'Amico and Bill Lamb, 3. Cliff and Adey Weatherhead, 4. Ed and Babe Harris, East-west 1. Ross and Lois Riches, 2. Yvonne Cunningham and Lisa Orms, 3. Dick and Dorcas Morris, 4. Jean and Homer Kohl.

Winners of the Allmatters Duplicate Bridge were: Section A: 1. Cam Crofton and Pete Harrod, 2. Molly Collins and Walter Allen, 3. Majorie Eaton and Gwen Graham, 4. Margaret and Jack McAvoy, Section B: 1. Jo Waddington and Pat Bishop, 2. Joan Smith and Les Stewart, 3. Anne Dye and Mike Champion, 4. Iris MacIsaac and Dora Depaul.

ing over the last three or four years.

Besides bankruptcies, Mr. Nielsen had a few swipes for Hal Banks, the waterfront leader who fled Canada and a jail term and now lives in New York.

"Unless I miss my guess," he said, "there will be sufficient evidence upon which to base extraditable charges against the elusive Mr. Banks."

And so ended round one, in the so-called new Nielsen expose. Round two is due Monday.

## Aid for India Asked in U.S.

ST. LOUIS (AP) — United States Protestant churches have been urged to set aside a Lenten fast day to include a special offering to aid famine-threatened India. The resolution was approved by the policy-making general board of the National Council of Churches.

## Agile Thieves Take Ropes

Six lengths of 100-foot rope were stolen from the tops of new B.C. Hydro poles on Ruby Road Thursday night. Saanich police said the thieves had to climb to the top of the poles to get the rope which was valued at \$60.

## Tour of Globe

## Amity Singers Thrill Crowd

The Amity Singers circled the globe in a concert of folk music at McPherson Playhouse Friday night and made a highly crowd-pleasing job of it.

Conductor Rodney Webster was responsible for all the arrangements, many of them unaccompanied and all presented with a great deal of polish by the group.

The singers were joined in their journey of the British Isles, India, Australia and other corners of the earth by soloists Erika Kurth, Harry Elsdon and Harry Hill.

Another performance, to aid the Victoria School of Music, is being given tonight.

## What's an executive worth?

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of active membership, has been awarded honorary membership in Victoria club. He gave up his classification of trade union representative when he became mayor. (William A. Boucher)

### First Traffic Death Since 1954

## Trail Record Broken

TRAIL, B.C. (CP) — An unknown fatality-free traffic record identified Fruitvale man was killed when struck by a car in downtown Trail early Friday in an accident that ended an 11-

A safety official expressed sadness and said the city would start over.

### Greece Tries TV Programs

ATHENS (Reuters) — Greece, the only country in Europe without television, this week began a two-hour daily test transmission service over a 12-mile radius from Athens. The government plans to build five TV stations in the country.

Trail has received many awards for traffic safety and was considered one of the safest cities with population under 50,000 in North America.

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# Top Police to Gather

Top law enforcement officers from throughout western North America will gather in Victoria this June.

The occasion will be the regional conference of the International Association of Chiefs of Police June 6 to 9, which more than 75 police heads from the western states of the U.S. and Canadian provinces as far east as Saskatchewan are expected to attend.

RCMP Assistant Commissioner F. S. Spalding of Victoria, who will be chairman of the conference, said Friday he believed it is the first time the meeting has been located in western Canada.

**"KEEP AHEAD"**  
"Its general purpose is to examine law enforcement needs and keep abreast with developments in techniques both in the U.S. and Canada," said Mr. Spalding.

This includes an exchange of information on police administration and operational procedures.

**RECOMMENDATIONS MADE**  
Recommendations are made from the conference to IACP headquarters in Washington, which Mr. Spalding has just returned from visiting.

During his trip east, the assistant commissioner also attended talks in Toronto on organized crime. Mr. Spalding, who was representing the four western provinces. Where the RCMP act as provincial police, met with RCMP Commissioner G. B. McClelland and the chiefs of the Ontario and Quebec provincial police forces.

**MID-MARCH MEETING**  
The talks, which were a sequel to last fall's federal-

provincial crimebusters conference, are to be followed up by another meeting in mid-March.

The assistant commissioner said the meetings were of an exploratory nature. "We can't issue any statement from the police level until the results are in the hands of the respective provincial attorneys-general."

He expected this to be "in the next month or two."

### Dynamite Blast Hits School

ELBA, Ala. (UPI) — An explosives expert found an eight-foot burned dynamite fuse Friday in the rubble left by two dynamite blasts that shattered a wing of integrated Elba High School.

Lewey Stephens Jr., district attorney, said if the persons responsible for the blasts are caught "we'll throw everything in the book at them."

No one was hurt.

The explosions, 15 seconds apart, came about 30 minutes after a banquet ended in the school cafeteria.

The city's school superintendent said one section of the school's east wing was blown out and five classrooms were destroyed. Damage was estimated at \$40,000 to \$50,000.

### Irish Bomb Rocks Club

DUBLIN (UPI) — Unidentified arsonists, perhaps members of the outlawed Irish Republican Army, set off two "Molotov cocktail" incendiary bombs in the British (veterans') Legion Club here.

Detectives of the special branch barred newsmen from the building while they investigated the incendiary attempt, the third of its kind here recently.

### U.S. Exodus Hits Record

SAN FRANCISCO (AP) — Emigration of United States residents to Canada in 1965 reached a record 15,143, Fred M. Norman, officer in charge of the Canadian Immigration Service in San Francisco, reports.

This was 21 per cent above the 12,565 in 1964.

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Otto and Jeanne-Paule Armin at rehearsal

## Music Notes

# Young Violinist to Star In Sibelius Masterpiece

By WILLIAM THOMAS

Of all musical forms the concerto belongs to youth. Young men write concertos and very often young men play them best. Last week it was my pleasure to hear Ronald Turini play the Schuman piano concerto with the Vancouver Symphony. This Sunday we will hear Otto Armin play the Sibelius violin concerto in D minor.

Jean Sibelius completed this concerto when he was 38. He had been a student of the violin for years and though he composed an impressive series of chamber works for his beloved fiddle he contented himself with this one full-length concerto.

The dark brooding D minor setting and the development of the wistful first movement is significant for it gives a key to all his later work.

HE ARRIVED With the completion of this violin concerto Sibelius "arrived." Otto Armin, who will play this work Sunday, has set himself a formidable task.

As a violinist himself Sibelius has drawn on his personal familiarity with the instrument to provide a work that taxes the virtuosity of the soloist to the limit.

Julian Herbage has summed the work up precisely. He writes: "Sibelius gives us a first movement of extreme originality, a second movement of passionate lyricism and a final movement of athletic exuberance."

Otto Armin comes to this music with an impressive background. In Sibelius, he has performed the work we are to hear Sunday under the direction of Sir Ernest MacMillan and placed first in CBC's Talent Festival with his interpretation of this violin concerto.

HIS INSTRUMENT will be a Carlo Bergonzi violin dated 1739. It is valued at \$20,000 and is on permanent loan to Otto Armin from the University of Toronto. This afternoon Otto Armin will play a private concert for youngsters at the Victoria School of Music. He will be accompanied by his wife pianist Jeanne-Paule.

Chamber music which is enjoying an unprecedented period of renewal in Victoria continues to flourish. This time it is the Musical Arts Society which is sponsoring a concert in

the McPherson Playhouse, Sunday, March 6 at 3 p.m.

The chamber ensemble made up from members of the Victoria Symphony and the School of Music faculty will offer three works.

Barry Moneur, Robin Wood and Hans Siegrist will play the Beethoven trio in B flat for clarinet with Mr. Moneur as soloist.

Mozart's quartet in F will be played by John de Jarnatt, Jean Angers, Kenneth Copeland and Hans Siegrist. And Robin Wood will lead the School of Music Trio in the Dvorak Dumky trio.

Otto-Werner Mueller is a fastidious craftsman. Not content with just reading and rehearsing the score of Copland's Billy the Kid Suite he has also been listening hard as well.

Copland has recorded the work under his own direction. The Victoria Symphony conductor has listened along with the score just to make sure there are no shades of interpretation he has missed for his performance this weekend.

If the Canada Council has any doubts about the community service value of the Victoria Symphony someone should send this eastern-oriented body a schedule of the current series of out-of-town concerts the orchestra is planning.

## Charge Follows Highway Deaths

PRINCE GEORGE (CP)—A 37-year-old man was charged Friday with failing to remain at the scene of an accident, following the traffic deaths of a father and daughter.

Charged is Arthur Joseph Kermer, of Prince George. The bodies of William Giroux, 58, and his daughter Maxine, 9, were found Thursday behind a snowbank on the Cariboo highway, 10 miles south of here.

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# Pope Visits Drug Plant

ROME (AP)—Pope Paul visited a pharmaceutical plant Thursday and said "I came here to pay homage to women in the working world." He addressed some 200 workers in a hall of the Leo-far plant, which employs more women than men. It was the pontiff's third visit to a group of workers in a month.

This is not the end by any means, if the reception to this offering is enthusiastic then next year will see the orchestra blossom with a more extended series of away-from-home dates.

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# Benefits Expanded For Outside Care

An expansion of out-of-province B.C. Hospital Insurance benefits was announced Friday by Health Minister Martin.

He said in a statement that the present, three-month coverage for persons needing hospital care while outside B.C. has been extended to six months.

Benefits can be extended a further six months at the discretion of the cabinet.

ALBERTA The extensions came after Harry McKay (L.Fernie), told the legislature and Mr. Martin of several cases in his riding where persons were taken to

hospital in Calgary for treatment lasting more than three months.

In such cases, Mr. McKay said, those requiring the treatment were saddled with large hospital bills not covered by B.C.H.I.S.

FOREIGN Mr. Martin said the maximum rate of payment to hospitals outside Canada has also been increased from \$12 a day to \$25.

All payments to hospitals outside the province are less than the \$1 a day payment that a patient must bear under B.C.H.I.S.

## Army Expert Dies on Duty

MOSCOW (Reuters)—The Soviet Army newspaper Red Star Thursday announced the death on duty of Lt. Gen. Stepan D. Dorokhov, a leading artillery commander. No details were given on the 32-year-old general's death.

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## Names in the News

# Boy Axed from School Until Tresses Trimmed

SEATTLE (AP) — A judge has ruled that Tom Poll, 13-year-old junior high school pupil, must get his hair cut or continue his education elsewhere else.

Superior Court Judge Donald L. Giesse ruled the action of the school principal in suspending Poll because of his flat-top hair style was neither unreasonable nor arbitrary.

The judge dissolved a temporary order which has restrained Bothell Junior High School from suspending Poll. School authorities had contended the long hair was a distraction in the classroom.

The boy's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Bernard Poll, testified they considered the length of their son's hair the family's business. The father said they had no intention of having Tom's hair cut now, but might seek private tutoring or enter him in another school.

NEW YORK — A former major in the Soviet army, who defected to the United States during the waning days of the Second World War, committed suicide because he was "depressed about the war in Viet Nam." The body of Victor Kravchenko, 61, who lived in recent years under the assumed name of Peter Martin, was found in his east side Manhattan apartment by a close friend Robert St. Claire.

EAST LOS ANGELES, Calif. — At 10 minutes after midnight last New Year's Eve William Sleukov, a 43-year-old laborer, opened the front door to his home to check on his car. He felt something stung him above his left ear. Sleukov's scalp began to throb and swell so he went to a doctor who removed a 25-caliber bullet from Sleukov's scalp.

LETHBRIDGE — John D. Bannerman of Lethbridge was puzzled when he got a letter in January asking him to send payments for an encyclopedia set to Vancouver. "I have never bought an encyclopedia so naturally I wrote and told them so," he said. It turned out that Mr. Bannerman has a Calgary namesake who was married on the same date, July 17, 1951, and whose age was close.

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SHAWNIGAN, Que. — Former grave-digger Marcel Beaulieu, 44, has been sentenced to be hanged July 22 for the capital murder of a 25-year-old 16-year-old Denise Therrien.

MOSCOW — Russian space dogs Blackie and Reese are orbiting Earth aboard the Cosmos 110 satellite alive and in good condition. Tass said the two dogs—Egoryok and Veterok respectively are their Russian names—were doing "quite satisfactorily."

WASHINGTON — The U.S. Marine commander in Viet Nam told President Johnson his men are winning there, and came away from the White House with a promotion to lieutenant general. The nomination of Maj. Gen. Lewis W. Walt, 53, for three-star rank jumped him over 21 senior Marine major generals.

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## Courtroom Parade

# Man Admits Contributing After Girls Found Dazed

Two runaway teen-age girls were found in a dazed state on a bed-chestfield in a downtown apartment Thursday night.

One of the girls had to be forcibly aroused. Both had been given Tunal sleeping pills. Gordon Truscott pleaded guilty in central magistrate's court Friday to contributing to juvenile delinquency and was remanded to March 4 for a pre-sentence report.

## CLOTHES OFF

Det. Edward Hardy said he went to Truscott's apartment at 1124 Fort Thursday night.

Truscott got up in a dazed condition, he said.

A 16-year-old girl, naked from the waist down, had to be forcibly aroused, Det. Hardy said.

A 15-year-old girl was also lying on the bed and she was in a drowsy condition.

Truscott said he had met the girls in the afternoon and had given them Tunal pills, court was told.

"The accused said he was under a doctor's care and was released from hospital three days ago," Det. Hardy said.

Both girls had run away from their homes, court was told.

Truscott told Magistrate

William Ostler: "There was no sex involved, Your Honor."

Magistrate Ostler replied: "That is a matter of interpretation."

Truscott admitted he had been convicted of intoxication Thursday and had been given time to pay his \$15 fine.

Larry Allen Preston was committed by Magistrate Ostler for trial on a charge of possession of narcotics.

Earlier in the month, Preston was committed for trial on a charge of breaking and entering and theft.

Det. Constable Edward James said he went to the rear of the premises at 114 Yates Jan. 25 and found a pinbar and axe under the garage roof sheathing.

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The following evening he returned with Det. Constable Murray MacArthur and the tools were dusted with fluorescent powder.

At this stage, he found a small package which contained an eyedropper, a rubber bulb and a vial containing some liquid.

A sample was taken from the bottle which was then replaced under the sheathing, court was told.

HID ON ROOF

Det. Constable James said he hid on the roof and 40 minutes later he heard a window go up and someone come down a fire escape.

A person walked to where the package was and Det. Constable James then grabbed him. The man was Preston, he said.

He found the package about four or five feet from its original position.

WITHDRAWING

"Preston said he had never seen the axe or pinbar before," Det. Constable James said.

When asked if he wished to make a statement, Preston said he had been framed, court was told.

He said he had been on withdrawal from drugs for the last three weeks," Det. Constable James said.

To defence counsel Ian Stewart, the detective denied that he told Preston to pick up the package from the roof.

NEEDLE MARKS

Det. Constable MacArthur said he found two fresh needle marks on Preston's arm when he searched him Jan. 26.

He admitted to Mr. Stewart that he had interviewed Preston earlier on Jan. 26 and denied that any physical force was used.

He agreed that it was suggested to Preston that he leave town and said the Preston replied: "When do you want me to leave?"

RCMP Cpl. Walter Semendoff

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to drive for business purposes only and placed him on a \$250 bond for six months.

A car that was stopped as part of a traffic investigation Feb. 2 contained two 26-ounce bottles of wine.

The driver, Arthur Charles Du Gardein, 20, pleaded guilty to being a minor in possession and was fined \$35.

He was jailed for another month on a charge of driving while his licence was suspended. He had pleaded guilty to this.

A series of complaints of bad driving in the Sooke area Thursday led the RCMP to Barry Jeffery Cragg.

Prosecutor Peter Birkett said Cragg, 37, North Park, was seen driving at a high rate of speed and in an erratic manner.

He passed a car just before a bend, took a right-hand turn on two wheels, damaged a fence and passed a car on the right, court was told.

SUSPENSION

Cragg, 21, pleaded guilty to driving without consideration for others and was fined \$250. His licence was suspended. He had two previous convictions for careless driving.

A city motorcycle policeman was forced into the path of oncoming traffic Thursday night by a woman driver.

The woman, Pearl Armstrong, 601 Raynor, pleaded guilty to impaired driving and was fined \$300. Her licence was suspended.

Mrs. Armstrong was driving in the curb lane on Pandora at 8 p.m. The motorcyclist was in the next lane, court was told.

LANES CHANGED

Mrs. Armstrong suddenly changed lanes, forcing the motorcyclist into the path of oncoming traffic, Mr. Birkett said.

A car that left the Gorge Hotel Feb. 19 in a jerky manner almost hit the log railing on the Gorge bridge, court was told.

The driver, Emil Olson, 2944 Wascana, pleaded guilty to impaired driving and was fined \$350. His licence was suspended.

A breathalyzer reading of .21 was taken.

John P. Sim of Vancouver was fined \$400 for impaired driving. He had pleaded guilty to an earlier hearing and had asked then if he could retain his licence for business purposes.

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# Top Four Teams In Semi-Finals

By JIM TAYLOR  
(Colonist Staff Writer)

ALBERNI—Things went strictly according to the form chart in the first round of the Vancouver Island high school basketball championship here Friday night, leaving two clubs from each end of the Island to fight for the Colonist Cup and three berths in the B.C. tournament.

All four wins were by convincing scores, and it was left to Mount View Hornets to provide the only real scare of the tournament before bowing, 48-32, to Alberni Chiefs.

## Stars Settle Girls Games

Nanaimo and three Victoria-area high schools, all relying on sparkling individual performances, moved into the semi-finals of the Vancouver Island girls' high school basketball championship at Mount View High School Friday night.

In the closest game of the night, Nanaimo got 21 points from Angie Radanovich to beat Mount View, which was never farther away than five points until the fourth quarter, 38-28.

**AFTERNOON GAME**  
Nanaimo meets Oak Bay in one semi-final at 12:30 this afternoon. The powerful Pays got 17 points from Sheila Shipley as they defeated Courtenay, 32-28.

In the other semi-final at 2, Equimault plays Vic High Tigers. Margo Jackson, sister of Victoria Chinooks' Ken, led Equimault to a 39-24 win over Qualicum with 15 points.

**HIGHEST SCORE**  
And Vic High ran up the highest score of the evening and owned the finest of the four individual efforts. Smooth, poised Gail Streton got 24 points

## Vikettes Struggle For Second Chance

VANCOUVER—University of Victoria Vikettes stayed in the running for the B.C. junior women's basketball championship Friday by defeating Vancouver Eagles, 51-31, in a game which eliminated the losers from the four-team, double-knockout final.

Vikettes now play Salmon Arm, a Marpole Community Centre at 2 this afternoon. Winner of that game will meet Marpole for the championship at 7 tonight and must win twice to take the honors.

If Marpole is beaten, the deciding game will be played Sunday afternoon.

Marpole remained unbeaten in

## Alberni Wins Senior Series

Alberni Athletics, defending Canadian champions, reached the provincial senior men's basketball final last night, taking the Vancouver Island playoff in three straight games by defeating Victoria Hawks Chiefs, 61-67, at Oak Bay High School.

Athletics won the first two games of the best-of-five final last weekend in Alberni, 67-45 and 79-60.

Chiefs put up a stiff fight to

stay in the running but were handicapped by the loss of Ken Gregory with a twisted ankle early in the game and the absence of Glen Westfall, a Seattle import who failed to show for any of the playoff games.

Despite this, the Chiefs stayed within striking distance until about 12 minutes from time, when Darrell Lorimer picked up his fourth foul and had to play cautiously the rest of the way.

Athletics immediately spurred to a 58-43 lead and were never again in any danger.

Lorimer led the losers with 22 points and got a big assist from John Lauvaas, who had 18. But the Athletics had three big scorers for the difference—Neil Diron with 20 points, Doug Brinham with 19 and Larry Lahtonen with 18.

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## In City Churches

# Prairie-Folk Night Planned Sunday

Prairie Night will be held at Centennial United Church, Gorge Road at David Street, at 7:30 p.m. Sunday.

Prairie Night has become an annual event at Centennial and Rev. Dr. Samuel Parsons extends a special invitation to all former Prairie residents and also anyone visiting Victoria from the region.

Refreshments will be served at a fellowship hour after the evening service.

La Dolce Vita and Jesus Christ in the title of the 7:30 p.m. sermon this Sunday in St.

## Foreign Workers Sought

The United Church of Canada has invited applications for foreign service from teachers, nurses, doctors, cooks, ministers, agriculturalists, lab technicians, social workers and physiotherapists.

"These and an increasing variety of other professionally-trained people are needed in a dozen different countries," states the church.

Inquiries may be made to the Committee for Church Vocations, The United Church of Canada, Room 510, 85 St. Clair Avenue East, Toronto 7, Ont.

# THE VOICE OF ONE

By REV. DR. FRANK S. MORLEY

A man can fly from Manchester to Montreal for lunch and back again the same day. Science has made the world one neighborhood, but it has not and cannot make it one brotherhood.

Martin Niemöller spent years in Hitler's concentration camps. Sorrowfully he reflects, "In the 16th century man sought a merciful God. Today mankind yearns for a merciful neighbor."

Today marks the beginning of Brotherhood Week. Last Saturday was the anniversary of Lincoln's birth. Few men more caught the affection of all mankind. Lincoln said, "With malice toward none, with charity for all, with firmness in the right, as God gives us to see the light, let us strive to finish the task we are in, to bind up the Nation's wounds to do all which may achieve and cherish a just and lasting peace among ourselves, and with all nations."

Yesterday was the birthday of George Peabody, who gave two million dollars for the Southern States to realize the rebuilding of Lincoln's plea. Countless thousands have similarly dedicated themselves and their possessions to the cause of human brotherhood.

## Suburbia Sickness

Yet man's hatreds and horrors brutally contradict the kind and the good. Where can one find peace in a nuclear world? Does one seek mercy in Vietnam? Apartheid gives the lie to brotherhood. How shall we meet the hunger which stalks the world?

See the depth of human need in the friendlessness of the city streets. For millions around us community has ceased to exist and loneliness is the sickness of suburbia. The inner city is crammed with rootless, homeless, brotherhood.

## Spirit of Lincoln

Was not a miracle of recovery effected in Europe when, from the gloom and despair of moral decline, rubble-filled streets, devastated industry, inflated currency, and the millions of dead bodies, a new civilization was erected of prosperity and hope?

This was but a little thing compared to what man could achieve if he set out on a crusade of brotherhood, shaking our loveless hearts, and making the fatality of war and

John's Anglican Church by Canon C. Hilary Butler. Canon Butler will consider morals and meaning in a changing world.

Varsity Christian Fellowship night will be held at 7 p.m. Sunday in Parkdale Evangelical Free Church.

The VCF male choir from the University of Victoria will provide the music. The speaker will be Rev. Ken Loudon, B.C. director of the Inter-varsity Christian Fellowship, which has chapters in all B.C.'s public universities.

The film The Power of the Resurrection will be shown at 7 p.m. Sunday in Grace Lutheran Church, 1273 Fort. The movie will complement a new series of 11 a.m. sermons starting Sunday by Rev. David H. Metzger on the theme Behold the Man! A color motion picture on New Guinea will be shown at a fellowship hour in Kirk Hall, St. Andrew's Presbyterian Church. The picture is being put on by members of the session.

A series on the meaning of sacrifice will begin with a talk on sacrifice in primitive times, the subject of the sermon by Rev. Robert J. D. Morris of First United at 9:30 and 11 a.m.

The concluding sermons of the week-long mission by Rev. Samuel B. McKimsey of Mount Zion Baptist Church in Seattle will be held at both the 11 a.m. and 7:30 p.m. services this

Sunday in Metropolitan United Church.

First United will join Metropolitan at the evening service as Metropolitan's 10th anniversary is celebrated.

A feature of the morning service at Metropolitan will be a quartette for oboe, violin, viola and cello presenting music by Mozart.

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## Peanuts, Talk And Pop

Special guest at grand opening of H.C. coffee house Friday night in First United Church was Rev. Sam McKimsey of Seattle. At left is Wanda Bradley, at right Joan Gray and Iona Morris. Coffee, pop, peanuts, guest conversation and entertainment will be regular feature second and fourth Fridays in each month with invitation to "come on down" to high school students of Greater Victoria.—(William A. Boucher).

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## Moderator Writes

# Rain Prayers Degrade Modern Church's Stand

Praying for rain is an instance of the degrading superstition which brings the Christian church into the contempt of this modern world, according to the moderator of the United Church of Canada, Dr. E. M. Howse.

"What a mad world it would be, if prayers and not meteorological conditions produced rain," writes Dr. Howse in the March 1 issue of the United Church Observer.

He quotes a news item from South Africa where, when the recent drought had reached its worst, the church called for a day of prayer.

"The police government," he writes, "turning its attention for the moment from its apartheid policy, co-operated by asking employers to allow workers



Howse

time off to attend church, and so swell the number of voices appealing to God.

"Two days later, said a further report, the rains fell." Dr. Howse asks his readers to suppose that there were other people who thought that South Africa deserved to be punished.

## COUNTER PRAYERS

"Suppose that they gathered bigger congregations and more voices, to pray that the drought be continued until South Africa learned the error of her ways. And suppose the result depended upon which particular group had the greater influence with a pliable God."

Dr. Howse said it is "the crudest idolatry" that thinks of God as a complaint agent who sends rain to please his favorites, though he shows a vast indifference for all the rest. "Perhaps we can have more sympathy with the theologians who use the phrase 'God is Dead' (poor as the phrase is), if

## Women Clergy Approved

Victoria presbytery of the Presbyterian Church went on record this week as agreeing to the ordination of women to the ministry and eldership of the church.

Vancouver Island delegates to the Wednesday-Thursday meeting also confirmed the right of each member to be appointed or elected to office regardless of sex.

"The resolution will be forwarded to the General Assembly of the Presbyterian Church in Canada meeting in Toronto June 1," said Rev. Alan M. Beaton of Knox Presbyterian Church who was elected moderator of Victoria Presbytery Tuesday.

Mr. Beaton said the 1965 General Assembly had referred the question of women as ministers and elders to the various presbyteries across Canada.

The votes of the presbyteries, such as the one from Victoria this week, will determine the General Council decision.

## EMMANUEL BAPTIST CHURCH

Forwarded at Gladstone  
11:00 a.m.  
Rev. W. J. Blenheim  
1:00 p.m.  
"KNOW YE GOD"  
Rev. D. L. Martin  
Radio Broadcast CJVI  
Sunday Church School  
9:45 a.m.—Primary and Adults  
11:00 a.m.—Nursery and Kindergarten

## CENTRAL BAPTIST CHURCH

833 Pandora Ave. Rev. Robert D. Holmes, B.Th., Pastor

"We preach Christ Crucified, Risen and Coming Again"

9:45 a.m.—Sunday School for all ages

11:00 a.m.—"Is Christ's Work Concluded?"

7:30 p.m.—"God Hath Spoken"

9:00 p.m.—Y.P. FIRESIDE

Thursday, 7:30 p.m.—Prayer and Praise Meeting

Guest Speaker—Rev. Abe Dyck, of Gospel Missionary Union, Ecuador

First Baptist Church

Quadrant at Hudson Bay, John A. Watson, B.A., B.D.

J. E. Tremblay, Organist and Director of Music

Church School: Junior, Senior and Adults, 9:45 a.m.

Kinderergarten and Primary, 11:00 a.m.

11:30 a.m.

"CRUCIAL WORDS FROM CALVARY"

1. THE WORD OF FORGIVENESS

7:30 p.m.

"NEIGHBOURLINESS"

St. Andrew's Presbyterian Church

Downtown—Douglas St. at Brougham

The Very Rev. J. L. W. McLean, C.D., M.A., D.D.

Reverend Robin B. Walters, M.A., B.D.

11 a.m.—"THE HIGH WAY"

A Lenten Sermon by Dr. McLean

7:30 p.m.—Service Conducted by Members of Session

Fellowship Hour with Motion Picture and Refreshments

Organist and Choirmaster: C. C. Warren, L.B.M.

KNOX PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

2004 Richmond Avenue

11:00 a.m.

"THE PEOPLE OF FAITH"

CHURCH SCHOOL

9:45 a.m.—Ages 9-15

11:00 a.m.—Ages 9-15

1:30 p.m.—SUNDAY WORSHIP

Rev. A. M. Denton, B.A.

Visitors Welcome

ST. PAUL'S GORGE PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

Villeneuve and Waller

11:00 a.m.

MR. DENNIS OLIVER

9:45 a.m.—Ages 9-15

11:00 a.m.—Ages 9-15

Rev. W. J. Klumpka, M.A., Ph.D.

ALLIANCE CHURCH

1039 Yates

Rev. Ted Chapman, Pastor

9:45 a.m.—Welcome to Our Sunday School

11 a.m.—"CHRIST'S COMMAND"

7 p.m.—"GOSPEL OF PEACE"

Tuesday, 7:45 p.m.—Bible Study, Prayer and Praise

TONIGHT... 8 P.M.

See and Hear the Feature Length Film:

TASHI from TIBET

Berry: Captains Phillips, scheduled to be with us unable to come to Canada at this time due to visa problems

## Parson Offers Flu Antidote

BURBANK, Calif. (UPI)—In his weekly newsletter to the congregation, Rev. L. A. Felling of Burbank Lutheran Church offered the following advice on how to keep from catching the flu: "Avoid crowds, attend church."

## CHRISTIAN SCIENCE

# First Church of Christ, Scientist

A Branch of The Mother Church, The First Church of Christ, Scientist, Boston, Massachusetts  
Oakburn St. and Pandora Ave.  
Elevator Available  
SUNDAY SERVICES  
11:00 a.m. and 7:30 p.m.  
Subject:  
"Christ Jesus"  
Sunday School, 11:00 a.m.  
Testimony Meeting  
Wednesday, 8:00 p.m.  
FREE PUBLIC READING ROOM  
AND LENDING LIBRARY  
1310 BROAD STREET  
ALL ARE WELCOME

### The Salvation Army

Victoria Citadel Corps  
557 Pandora Avenue  
Corps Officers:  
Capt. and Mrs. D. McMillan  
First Sunday in Lent  
9:45 a.m.—Sunday School  
11:00 a.m.—Holiness Meeting  
Subject:  
Calvary "The Place of Punishment"  
7:30 p.m.—Salvation Meeting  
Capt. McMillan will begin the Customized Lenten Messages with "The Goodness of the House" All Are Welcome

# GLAD TIDINGS PENTECOSTAL

Federated Assembly of Canada, Telephone 381-1833  
Pastor: Rev. Eric A. Hensby Assistant: Fred Felford, B.Sc.  
9:45 a.m.—Sunday School

## Rev. Wallace S. Bragg

11:00 a.m. and 7:30 p.m.  
• CONCLUDING SERVICES  
• EXCELLENT FUNDAMENTAL BIBLE PREACHING

WELCOME TO OUR FULL GOSPEL CHURCH. WE PREACH SALVATION NOW—HAVING, HEALING—BAPTISM IN THE HOLY SPIRIT—JESUS' SOON RETURN

# GREATER VICTORIA YOUTH CHALLENGE MISSIONARY RALLY

• Speaker—Mr. Kevin Dyer, World Literature Crusade  
• Soloist—Mr. Roy Boettcher, KGDN Seattle  
• Youth Challenge Choir

Sat., 7:45 p.m., Oaklands Chapel

See Missionary Display Saturday Afternoon

## THE CHURCH OF OUR LORD

REMBOLDT AT BLANCKHARD  
9:30 a.m. Holy Communion  
11 a.m. Morning Prayer  
"AFTER THE DARK—THE DAWN"  
Bishop D. A. G. Hamilton, D.D.  
7:30 a.m. Evensong  
"THE MUSIC OF IMMORTALITY"  
MIDWINTER SERVICE  
Wednesday, 7:30-8:30 p.m.  
The Bishop

THE REFORMED EPISCOPAL CHURCH

## FAITH TEMPLE

1101 Princess Ave. 264-9415 Pastor: Rev. G. L. Davis

9:45 a.m. Sunday School—Classes for all  
11:00 a.m. Morning Prayer  
7:30 p.m. Evening Prayer Service  
9:00 p.m. Evangelistic Service  
9:00 p.m. Wednesday—Bible Study  
9:00 p.m. Friday—Prayer and Body Ministry

We believe in the one true church that Jesus spoke of, in St. John's Gospel 17:21, which, in these last days, moves in Divine Order in Word and Spirit.

## APOSTOLIC

Corner Blanshard and Queens R. E. S. Tonn, Pastor

9:45 a.m.—Sunday School and Bible Class  
11 a.m.—ROBERT A. LARDEN  
Canadian Field Representative of the  
Apostolic Church of Pentecost

7:30 p.m.—DO ALL SPEAK WITH TONGUES?  
Another Question Answering Message on the  
Outpouring of the Holy Spirit  
Special Music and Singing  
All cordially invited

## NORTH DOUGLAS PENTECOSTAL TABERNACLE

Corner of Douglas St. and Canterbury Road  
Pastor, Rev. C. Fawcett, Ph.D. 470-0001 Assistant, V. Swanson

SUNDAY:  
9:45—Sunday School and Bible Classes  
11:00—Worship Service  
7:30—Evangelistic Service  
You Are Welcome To Attend

## KINGDOM MINISTRY (British Israel)

NEWFIELD HALL, 754 Fort Street  
Speaker: MR. E. W. ABRAHAM  
Subject: "GENESIS, UNLOCKED HISTORY"  
SUNDAY 7:30 P.M. ALL WELCOME

## AFTERNOON MEETING

Monday, 26th February at 3 p.m.  
Newfield Hall, 754 Fort Street  
MR. E. W. ABRAHAM  
"CHRISTIANITY AND THE MOSAIC LAW"  
Radio Broadcasts every Sunday  
10 a.m. and 10:15 a.m. KASL 1000

## SOUL-WINNERS CONFERENCE

MARCH 2 to 6  
Travel-Lodge Motor Hotel  
3020 Douglas Street

Opening Service Wednesday morning, 10:00 a.m.  
Schedule:  
Wednesday, Thursday, Friday  
9:30 a.m.—Prayer Service 10:00 a.m.  
5:30 p.m., 7:30 p.m.  
Saturday, 9:30 a.m.—Great Testimony Breakfast—William Freeman will relate "When the Angel of the Lord Appeared to Me."  
Saturday, 9:30 and 1:30 p.m. Chorus Radio Sunday, 9:30 a.m. and 7 p.m.  
+ Special Prayer for the Sick  
+ Anointed Bible Preaching  
+ Soul-Winning Challenges

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## CURTIS MITCHELL

Survey will give his testimony of God's delivering grace.

## WILLIAM FREEMAN

Chicago  
William Freeman has conducted some of the greatest crusades of this generation, as he has a proven healing ministry that has shaken nations.

LOWARD DARNSE, Seattle, will also speak. A famous Baptist preacher, he was led into full Gospel ministry through the William Freeman ministry in Chicago, Columbia.

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### Organ Dedication Happy Event

Happiest person at dedication of new organ last Sunday in Parkdale Evangelical Free Church, 3281 Harriet Road, was church organist, Mrs. Catherine Dash. Pastor C. Lloyd Mackey, left, who reports attendance more than doubled last year, looks on with visiting preacher Dr. Kenneth Kantzer, guest at 7 p.m. service.—(William A. Boucher)

### Permanent Organization

## Spring Opening Forecast For City Alcohol Centre

Rev. H. T. Allen, general chairman of last weekend's Institute on Alcohol Problems, announced Friday he expects a permanent organization on alcohol problems to be established in Victoria this spring.

Attending the institute were more than 100 delegates representing more than 12 organizations, including secondary schools and churches.

Support was given by the delegates, said Mr. Allen, for regulations which would reduce liquor consumption in B.C. lower rates by insurance companies for drivers who are non-drinkers and a wider program of public education on alcohol problems.

### On-Job Teachers Wanted

University of Victoria men students are being offered tough summer jobs that pay off in satisfaction.

The offer is being made by Frontier College, which annually sends scores of students into Canadian construction camps to work with their hands by day and teach fellow laborers by night.

Last summer the university sent its first men to the faculty of the college. They were Art Gillan, a future teacher, and Ken Hart, a third-year student.

**ALMOST QUIT**  
This week they told a group of prospective volunteers that the day-and-night job was so tough they nearly quit.

Mr. Gillan, who spent the summer laying track for the Pacific Great Eastern Railway, told of sitting soaked in the rain to eat his lunch.

Western representative for Frontier College in Victoria is Rev. Clifford Waite, but initial contact at the university is Roy Archdekin, National Employment Service placement officer.

Last month, student Gerald Schofield, 21, of 823 Sea Drive, Brentwood, was appointed instructor at the Elliott Lake Centre for Continuing Education. The centre in Ontario, is for the help of under-educated, unemployed men.

### Car Rodeo Topic Of Meeting

Victoria's Junior Chamber of Commerce has called a meeting for Sunday to discuss whether the Jaycee-sponsored car rodeo normally held in conjunction with the Spring Flower Festival should be held this year.

Lack of interest in the rodeo has given Jaycees cause to review the matter. The meeting will be held at 1 p.m. Sunday in the Jaycee office in the Bank of Montreal building, Douglas and Yates.

Salvation Army officers interviewed 41,536 men and women during the last 12 months in Canadian prisons and penitentiaries, offering practical and spiritual assistance.



# Chaplains Needed

## Navy Searches for Special Kind of Men

By JIM BEAHAN  
The navy is scouring the nation's parishes in search of chaplains, but it will take special men to fill the bill, says the navy's top Protestant clergyman.

Chaplain of the Fleet Charles H. Maclean during his recent visit to Pacific Command said that not every man of the cloth is adaptable to a naval career. "We deal with men all the time, and it's always a matter of calling a spade a spade, with no frills attached," he said.

**DODGIES SPOTTED**  
He pointed out that sailors are quick to spot a padre's attempt to dodge or gloss over an issue, and they make no bones about telling him what they think of his attempt to wave by a distasteful topic.

To become a naval chaplain an applicant must have three years parish experience after being ordained.

Sailors have the same problems as anybody else, Chaplain Maclean said.

**'PEOPLE ARE PEOPLE'**  
"People are people, no matter if they are sailing the high seas or driving automobiles," he said.

He emphasized that the life of a naval padre is not an easy one.

**LOYALTY FIRST**  
"You must be loyal to God, loyal to the system and loyal to the men," he said.

While at sea there's little privacy, and in many cases the quarters are crowded.

**FAMILIAR FIGURE**  
He said the chaplain should become a familiar figure in all parts of the ship.

"Wherever officers and men are working, in the engine rooms or on the gun decks, the chaplain should also be seen regularly," he said.

**REMINDER OF GOD**  
"The fact that he wears his clerical collar, and is seen everywhere in the ship is a silent reminder of God to the men," he added.

Serving at sea gives a clergyman a broader outlook on life, and a greater understanding of men, the fleet chaplain said.

"The lone clergyman is the representative of all Protestant denominations," he said. "There is no such thing as first and second-class Christians."

### Anglicans Accept Postulant

Helen Dewar of Christ Church Cathedral parish has been accepted as a postulant at the Anglican Church convent in Oakville, Ont., Dean Brian Whitlow has announced.

"It is a source of occasional surprise to me to meet church people who are ignorant of the fact that there are many different orders of monks, friars and nuns in our church," said the dean.

Miss Dewar will spend four to six months as a Postulant (probationer)—one who is asking if this new life is for her.

"She is free to return home at any time," explained the dean.

"Later, if she desires it and the Community believes she has a vocation to its life, she will spend a further period as a novice."

### Samaritan Sitters Help Out

First United Church is recruiting Samaritan Sitters who will go to homes where women are raising their families by themselves.

Service of the sitters, who will give of their time at no charge, is to make it possible for deserted or divorced mothers to get out and have a couple of hours to themselves.

Those who wish to serve as sitters are asked to phone First United Church office at 388-5183.

## Whites Diminished Christianity Says Rhodesian

VANCOUVER (CP)—Europeans in Africa should practice what they preach, says a Rhodesian Negro.

Francis Tsekayi, a graduate student at the University of British Columbia, said during a panel discussion on Africa that there was more real Christianity in Africa before the white man came than there is now.

"The business of preaching 'do what I tell you and don't do what I do' has to be discarded," Mr. Tsekayi said.

He said the first missionaries told Africans they must adopt a European name to be baptized—but now they baptize in African names.

"People ask: Has God changed?"

Mr. Tsekayi said it seems to Africans that not all men are equal in the eyes of God.

"Do good onto others has been substituted by do good only to those who can do good onto you."

"If the qualifications for entry into Heaven are valid, then the white man is disqualified."

**Lack of Paving Hit by Socred**  
Socred MLA J. F. Huhn (North Peace River) criticized the Socred government in the legislature Thursday for failing to pave the Alaska and other highways in his northern riding.

Calling on the government to pave the Alaska Highway, he said: "This may be a blacktop government in some places, but it certainly isn't in my area."

From the laughter of opposition members sited the comment: "Pour M on 'em, Jake!"

A total of 2,566 deserving children were given holidays at Salvation Army Fresh Air Camps last year.

**VICTORIA GOSPEL HALL**  
835 Pandora Avenue  
Sunday, 9:30 a.m.—Sunday school.  
11:15 a.m.—Worship and Breaking of Bread.  
7:30 p.m.—GOSPEL SERVICE. SPEAKER, MR. TOM MCPHIE.

8 p.m. TUESDAY-BIBLE STUDY. 8 p.m. THURSDAY-PRAYER.

MILNE LAMOND GOSPEL CHAPEL  
Sunday, 9:45 a.m. The Family Hour. Speaker, Mr. Matthew Pollock. Wednesday, 7:30 p.m. Bible study. Speaker, Mr. Harry Hickman.

**SOCIETY OF FRIENDS**  
(Quakers)  
MEETING FOR WORSHIP SUNDAY, 11 a.m.  
VISITORS WELCOME / 1811 PEARSON ST.

**OPEN DOOR SPIRITUALIST CHURCH**  
1800 Oak St. Sunday, 7:30 p.m. Rev. E. Thode, clairvoyance. TUESDAY, 8 p.m. Rev. E. Thode, HEALING, WELCOMED.

**CHRISTIAN SPIRITUALIST CHURCH**  
724 Port St. Sunday, February 27th, 7:30 p.m. trance address and messages. Wednesday, March 2nd, 7:30 p.m. open circle.

**UNITARIAN**  
THE UNITARIAN CHURCH  
108 Superior Street  
Rev. D. Evans, B.A., B.D.  
SUNDAY, FEBRUARY 27th  
9:30 and 11:30 a.m.  
"WHEN THE GOING GETS ROUGH"  
Mr. Evans  
For information in Unitarian write P.O. Box 45, Victoria, or telephone 285-2741

**COMMUNITY CHURCH**  
CONFORTE ROAD COMMUNITY CHURCH  
Sunday school 9:45  
Morning service 11:00  
Evening service 7:30  
Speaker, Mr. Arthur Schreder  
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## Grits Bolt Policy Over Spencer Case

OTTAWA (CP)—Two Liberal MPs, one a parliamentary secretary, joined Friday in Commons opposition criticism of Prime Minister Pearson's rejection of a judicial inquiry into the case of alleged spy George Victor Spencer of Vancouver.

Mr. Pearson said Wednesday Spencer had been treated with "scrupulous fairness" and rejected the demand for an inquiry.

Spencer, alleged to have given information to two Soviet embassy officials, who were ordered out of the country, would not be prosecuted but would be kept under constant surveillance.

### LEAVES QUESTION

Bryce MacIsaac, parliamentary secretary to Labor Minister Nicholson and MP for Montreal Verdun, said the Spencer case leaves a question in his mind about the protection of the rights of individuals.

He did not elaborate on this aside in debate on justice department appropriations except to say he was speaking as an "individual MP." He is former chairman of the Liberal caucus.

### 'RIGHTS TRAMPLED'

Ralph B. Cowan (L.-York-Humber), who often bolts party policy said the government is trampling on the rights of Canadians by refusing Spencer a judicial hearing.

He compared government handling of the case to its conduct in the case of narcotics smuggler Lucien Rivard in 1964.

### EVIDENCE LACKING

Privy Council President Favreau, then justice minister, had said then that there wasn't enough evidence to warrant prosecution of persons in high places connected with attempts to free Rivard on bail.

"Exactly the same record is being played a second time," Mr. Cowan said.

"When the rights of one man are trampled upon, the rights

of all men are trampled upon. "If this man isn't given a hearing, I won't have much respect for Canadian justice."

Spencer, 57, was fired from his post office job and lost his pension rights. He was interviewed by one official of the civil service commission.

The harshest attack was made by lawyer David Lewis (NDP—York South).

He accused Mr. Pearson of "outrageous disregard for the basic principles of justice and civil liberty."

### 'PEARSON CARES'

John Matheson, parliamentary secretary to Mr. Pearson and MP for Leeds, said the government has taken the responsible though unpopular decision. He said Mr. Pearson cares about preservation of the security of the country.

Mr. Lewis asked how security could be endangered by an incamera inquiry.

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In a report prepared by Fire Commissioner Francois-Xavier Perrault for Pierre Laporte, municipal affairs minister, and made public Friday, the source of the fire was said to be a basement room used for storing apples.

The report also said: "The theory that the fire had a criminal origin is not justified by the facts."

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## Higher Hems Hazard: His Or Hers?

By JERRY DOULTREE

There have been stories going around that hemlines are climbing higher.

And as hemlines sneak higher, do morals plunge to greater depths?

One can't help but note, with this new degeneracy, that the well-turned calf is becoming increasingly bowed and the well-rounded knee more knarled, knobby and angular than ever before.

Short wonder a moralist would say "Fie!"

Albeit a bug-eyed fie.

But now a medic has climbed into the act — Dr.



A more abundant display of female in the ever-passing female parade

Godfrey Taylor of Cricket Malherbe, England.

Not content with remaining only a moralist, the good doctor has now come out with statistics (of all things) to prove the high hemline is bad for a girl's health.

Decrying low body temperature (a girl's, one can plainly see, would decrease as she peeled off the garments and

shed inches from her hem; but surely the man's would rise?), the doctor reviewed the question of worker efficiency, and has started his own "Warm Up The Workers" campaign.

It calls for everything from long woolen underwear to fires and lower hems.

He said the high hemline

was "ridiculous protection" for the health of British girls during British winters.

He made no reference whatever to the role of the British male in all this.

Girls would be more efficient," said the worthy Dr. Taylor, "if they wore ski-pants—and men would work better if they wore long underpants."

Could we be witnessing the

start of the Seven Year Itch?

But if all this is a bewilderment to the British, surely it can be nothing less than a calamity to the Canadians.

While our hemlines are as high as those in Britain, our winter temperatures are lower.

"Ah!" said a local physician, who declined permission for use of his name—on moral grounds.

"The girls will actually suffer little, I feel. After all, we've central heating here, and an inch or two here and there makes little difference."

"It's the men who will suffer—by sitting outside on the cold pavement contemplating the more abundant display of female in the ever-passing female parade."

## Brentwood Slaying

# Murder Charge Read To 16-Year-Old Boy

## Premier's Estimates End Budget Debate

Health Minister Eric Martin ended the budget speech debate Friday afternoon in time for the legislature to approve a \$76,500 vote for Premier Bennett's office in the departmental estimates.

The premier announced that public bills will be dealt with when the House sits at 3 p.m. Monday and that if there is time other estimates will be considered in the budget for the fiscal year from April 1, 1966, to March 31, 1967.

## Harbord Won't Scrap With NDP's Hartley

Justin Harbord, president of the Insurance Agents Association of B.C., refuses to be drawn into a slanging match with New Democrat MLA William Hartley.

Mr. Hartley, himself an insurance agent, told the legislature Thursday he was "ashamed" of Mr. Harbord's attacks on labor blaming its demands for high car insurance rates. He accused Mr. Harbord of using fifth column Quisling tactics.

"I don't mind you quoting me that I don't mind what Mr. Hartley says," said Mr. Harbord Friday night.

"NO REPLY"

"If he wants to call me Quisling, that's fine, but I am not going to reply."

Mr. Harbord said he felt it courteous to refrain from further comment on the car insurance issue until the royal commission held its hearings. "I don't think it is a good thing for either side to engage in a lot of controversy at this stage," he added.

**MADE MISTAKE**  
Commenting on the fact the association had declined to be represented on a panel at a public meeting on car insurance in Victoria next Monday, Mr. Harbord admitted the association's secretary George Rickard had made a mistake in describing the issue "sub judice" because of the pending royal commission.

It did not alter the association's stand, which was the same as the attitude he took to Mr. Hartley's remarks.

## For Centennial

# Society Seeks Co-ordinator

The Greater Victoria Centennial Society is advertising this weekend for a well-qualified man to co-ordinate plans for this district's confederation centennial party.

The decision, made at an in-camera meeting Thursday, torpedoed for good the proposal to bring an outside producing company in to plan and produce the celebration for a fee of more than \$54,000.

"We are now looking for a highly-qualified man to organize a master plan for all events, look after publicity and generally act as a co-ordinator," said society president Coun. A. R. Mebs of Esquimalt Friday.

**OPPOSITION**

From the time the society decided to bring in an Ohio-based firm, the controversy raged in Greater Victoria.

Several societies, including the Victoria Chamber of Commerce, ranged themselves against the decision but the clincher came when the area intermunicipal society put its foot down and suggested that the show be put on at minimum cost and with local talent.

The society will steer clear of

staging any events itself under the new scheme. Coun. Mebs said.

"Any local groups, theatrical or ethnic, wishing to stage productions can go ahead and do so. Our co-ordinator will help them all he can but the shows will have to be self-supporting. We will be pretty wary of underwriting anybody."

Coun. Mebs added that no basic salary had been established for the new job but that the society might go as high as \$800 a month.

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Sixteen-year-old Francis Wollaston appeared in central magistrate's court Friday charged with the Feb. 10 murder of seven-year-old Linda Crocker.

Wollaston, a pupil at Mount Newton High School, was remanded to March 4 when a date will be set for his preliminary hearing.

He was impassive when the charge was read to him, apart from a rapid blinking of the eyes when the word "murder" was read out.

**BRIEFLY**  
Wollaston, 734 Sea Drive, Brentwood, was in court only briefly. He was dressed in a sports jacket and blue, striped shirt.

Kenneth Murphy appeared on behalf of Lloyd McKenzie for the defence. Prosecutor is Louis Lindholm.

Wollaston was transferred from juvenile court Wednesday to the criminal court.

He was arrested only hours after the battered body of Linda Crocker was found on a rock bluff near her Woodward Drive home.

The Grand Old Man of B.C. is 78 years old today.

Lieutenant-Governor George Pearkes spent the eve of his birthday quietly at Government House listening to the radio and talking with the press.

**BIG YEAR**  
The popular couple, who have been in the limelight together

**Talk on China Scheduled Here**

Dr. Hugh Kessley, chairman of the B.C. Hydro and Power Authority, will present an illustrated lecture March 7, on his recent trip to China, at the University of Victoria. The talk and movie will take place at 7:30 p.m. in the Student Union Building.

## NDP Member To Speak

William Hartley, New Democrat MLA from Yale who was reinstated in the Legislature by the B.C. Court of Appeal, will speak Monday at the University of Victoria. He will address students at 12:30 p.m. in Room 101 of the Clearview Building.

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Lieutenant-Governor Pearkes listens to radio program in his honor

# After 78—a Big Year

since their marriage in 1925,

talked of their years at Government House.

"I'm looking forward to this year. It should be a big year for B.C.," Mr. Pearkes said.

**TRAVEL**  
And for him, certainly, it will be a big year—a strenuous centennial year of official engagements, speeches and travel.

Feeling and looking "just fine" after he was stricken with severe intestinal disorder while travelling through the interior of the province a few weeks ago, Mr. Pearkes admitted he has been asked by his doctor to

remain quiet for another week.

"Then we'll be back in the circuit," he laughed.

**ENTERTAINING**  
He and his wife enjoy entertaining guests at Government House.

Guests expected this year include the British high commissioner, the ambassadors of several nations who will be travelling through Canada on fact-finding missions, and the governor of the Hudson's Bay Co.

Listening to a radio program aired in his honor, Mr. Pearkes blushed and laughed.

"All most embarrassing," he commented on hearing the warm praise broadcast.

"This really shouldn't be going over the air."

His 78th birthday is going to be a quiet one.

**GOOD GAME**  
"We're having a few friends in for dinner, and I hope we can go watch Victoria United play a good game of soccer," Mr. Pearkes said.

At the close of the interview, Mr. and Mrs. Pearkes dispensed with all formality, and walked their guests to the front door of Government House.

## Spry Victorian, 103, Will Share Greetings

Floral greetings will be sent by Lieutenant-Governor Pearkes to one of Victoria's oldest residents who celebrates her 103rd birthday today.

Mrs. Harriet Barwick, a patient in West Bay Private Hospital, will receive a bouquet from the Queen's representative, who also has a birthday today—his 78th.

Although unable to walk, she manages to get around the hospital quite well in a wheelchair, and spends much of her time in the sunroom.

She said her hearing has started to slip a little, when interviewed Friday.

Mrs. Barwick's motto has always been, "Live a plain happy-go-lucky life and don't pinch yourself of any pleasures."

She came to Canada just after the turn of the century with her lawyer husband, and they settled in Alberta.

Mrs. Barwick moved to Brentwood in the 1940s and became an active member of St. Stephen's Church.

A daughter, Mrs. L. E. Littlewood, lives in Sidney. Another resides in Bremerton, Wash., and a son in Alberta.



Mrs. Harriet Barwick

## On Old Bastion

# Lightning Surgery Promised

By A. H. MURPHY  
City Hall Reporter

Historic Bastion Square, which has its roots deep in Victoria's history, will again become the pivot of the city's "lower town" when it shows its surgically restored face to the public in June—and it will be ready in June, engineers said Friday.

Joseph Cunliffe, of the firm of consulting engineers in charge of the work for the city, said that the general contractor, R. A. Hall, will move into the square in force by the end of March and within two months the job will be completed.

At the moment the square is ripped apart from Langley to Wharf as sewers and storm drains are being replaced and underground wiring installed.

**WEEK'S WORK**  
This messy but necessary work will be finished within a week or so, Mr. Cunliffe said. Then the actual job of tearing down and rebuilding—the work which can be seen and appreciated—will begin.

Grading and the building of retaining walls will be a major part of the project, as it is planned to bring the low, Wharf Street end of the square up to about the present level of Langley Street on the east side.

**NEXT STEP**  
Next step in the \$200,000 restoration plan, will be the laying of cement, decorative concrete, tiling and panels.

The square will be broken into several levels. There will be a strong, overall paving pattern with accent on texture and pattern.

**LIGHTING, TREES**  
The original plan, which has been modified but not changed in its fundamentals, provides for an interesting use of space with open and limited vistas. To achieve this, special lighting will be used and large plane trees planted to provide mass.

There will be reflecting pools and flower beds.

**GAR LAMPS**  
Interesting lighting is planned with a variety of intensities to highlight different areas. Lighting generally will be incandescent except along Chancery Lane where special Old Country gas lamp standards will provide a change of light quality.

Bastion Street, between Government and Langley will be closed to all but pedestrian traffic. It will be designed to "explode" at the lower end to reveal the Maritime Museum and the landscaped square.

**BIG JOB**  
An integral part of the whole restoration will be the cleaning and repairing of the buildings which enclose the square.

Faces of the building will be sand-blasted clean and paint will be used lavishly to bring them into harmony with the plan.

**TIME DIFFICULT**  
Asked about a construction timetable, Mr. Cunliffe said it was difficult to work out.

"When the excavation is finished, as it will be shortly, the remaining work is the sort which starts and carries on right to the end. It can be said, however, that the work is right on schedule and there is no reason why the square should not be restored by June, when the tourist season opens," he stated.

## Field Trip Goes Today

The younger section of the Junior branch of the Victoria Natural History Society plan a field trip today to Mount Douglas. The group is to meet at 1:30 p.m. at Douglas and Hillside.

Conducted tours of the new Centennial Trail at Francis Park will be held by the group on Sunday commencing at 2 p.m.

## River Basin Topic of Talk

Dr. Ross MacKay of the department of geography at the University of British Columbia will speak at the University of Victoria Monday on his research in the Mackenzie basin. The talk will be given at 3:45 p.m. in Room 316 of the Young Building on the Lansdowne campus.

## Saanich

# Birthday Blowout Biggest

Saanich municipality has a birthday Tuesday, and it plans to celebrate the event with the biggest blowout the district has ever seen.

The Saanich Diamond Jubilee celebrations kick off at 7:30 p.m. in the municipal hall, committee chairman Edward Lum said Friday.

Jubilee Queen Margaret Vickers will be crowned by Reeve Hugh Curtis in the council chamber as the Jubilee's opening event.

**PROCLAMATION**  
Queen Margaret, princesses Rhonda Polson, and Roberta Godhal will reign throughout the year.

Reeve Curtis will read a proclamation during the opening ceremony outlining the events during the six-month celebration for the 60th year of the municipality's incorporation.

Chairman Lum will be master of ceremonies for the evening. Music for the ceremony will be provided by the Mount View High School Band.



Marg

## Seen In Passing

Marg is working as a sales clerk in a local paint shop. (She lives at 871 Jeanine. Her hobbies are reading as well as being president of ladies' auxiliary of Army-Navy-Air Force veterans. Bob Whealon talking to a new girl... Claire Abernethy glad to be back from Edmonton... Bob Anderson smiling in spite of a bad cold... Jean McMichael with a cast on her toe... Low Jallbaht smoking a Russian cigarette... Barry Tatarsky watching his amplifier blow up... Howard Borker reading the newspaper... Marg Burrows recovering from the flu... Shorty and Sharon Cooper planning a trip to Nanaimo... Karen Williams attending private school... Don Reine working on a car... Gerry Milburn giving his horses a workout... Marg Robinson operating a lunch counter.



## Ann Landers

Dear Ann Landers: This is a two-girl office and we have had it. Sue (for pseudonym) and I work for top-level executives whose incomes are way up there.

We don't mind doubling as waitresses — we make coffee every morning at 10 a.m. and again at 3 p.m. — nor do we object to washing the cups and saucers and bringing fresh cream every day, but when we ask the tycoons for \$1 each on the first day of every month to pay for the coffee, sugar and cream we get dirty looks.

Sue and I ante up \$1 each to pay for the coffee we drink. We don't resent the expenditure, so why do they? Any suggestions? — SAD SECS.

Dear Secs.: March in two strings and tell the bosses that you refuse to pass a tin cup like beggars every month. Ask for \$12 from each of them NOW as their annual coffee assessment. If they refuse, close up the kitchen and take your break at the joint downstairs or next door.

Dear Ann Landers: I am a 15-year-old girl who needs a job. Here is why: I live in a house with 12 other people. Right now there are 19 people under this roof because my sister and her husband and their four children moved in. My brother-in-law was laid off and they were evicted.

I have three older sisters so I get hand-me-downs worn by three other people before they get to me. I haven't had a new dress in so long I forgot what it feels like.

Last spring I needed a blue sweater for gym class. My dad said he couldn't spare the money so I had to drop out. He felt bad about it but there was nothing he could do. All the kids in the gym knew why I dropped out and I wanted to die of shame.

Please don't suggest baby-sitting because by older sisters get first call on the jobs. The

last time I got to sit was New Year's Eve.

Don't tell me to talk to my school counselor because I am tired of having people feel sorry for me. — DESPERATE

Dear Desperate: I am going to suggest that you see the school counselor and I hope you take my advice. Don't worry about anyone feeling sorry for you. If you don't feel sorry for yourself, people will admire your dignity and your willingness to earn your way instead of looking for handouts. Chin up — and get moving.

Dear Ann Landers: My son and his wife both work. June goes to her job at 7:30 a.m. and gets home at 4:30 p.m. Jim works from 5 p.m. until midnight.

Their little boy is not quite three years old. Jim sleeps until noon, but the youngster gets up at 8 a.m. He's a good little boy and stays in his bed until his dad comes and gets him.

I would be happy to pick up the child in the morning and take him to my place until his mother comes home. He is no trouble and I enjoy him. Would I be an interfering grandma if I suggested it? — GRAM.

Dear Gram: I certainly feel sorry for the little guy from 8 a.m. until noon. How nice, however, to be able to spend several hours a day with his dad. Why not offer to come and get your grandson about 8 and bring him back to his father at noon? This would not be interfering. It would be a generous offer and an excellent solution.

Ann Landers will be glad to help you with your problems. Send them to her in care of this newspaper, enclosing a stamped, self-addressed envelope.



Miss Jeannine Moreau, 16-year-old daughter of Dr. and Mrs. J. H. Moreau, 2028 Runnymede, received the Gold Cord, one of the top awards in Guiding, at a special ceremony. A Girl Guide for the past four years, Jeannine is attached to the 10th Victoria Girl Guide Company and is a Grade 11 student at St. Ann Academy. — Kinaman

## Clubs and Societies

### SONS OF NORWAY

Sons of Norway is holding a bowling dance Saturday, Feb. 26, at 9 p.m. at the Sons of Norway Hall, 1110 Hillside.

### CONSUMERS

Consumers' Association of Canada, Victoria Branch, annual meeting will be held Monday, Feb. 28, at 1:30 p.m. in Eaton's small dining room.

### CHRIST CHURCH WA

Afternoon branch of Christ Church Cathedral Women's Auxiliary will meet at 2:30 p.m., March 1, in Memorial Hall.

### FRIENDSHIP TEA

Final plans for a friendship tea to be held in the New Hall March 6 from 2 to 4 p.m. will be made at a meeting of Sacred Heart Council, Catholic Women's League, Wednesday, March 2, in the new parish hall, Lakeview Road.

### CHIEF'S VISIT

Grand chief Hazel Glover of Vernon will make her official visit to Capital City Temple No. 35 Pythian Sisters on Tuesday, March 1, at 8 p.m. in the K of P hall. A banquet in her honor will be held at the Gurnor's Grill dining room at 6 p.m. prior to the meeting.

### CNIB TALK

Mr. W. A. Tymchuk, director of the CNIB, will address the St. Joseph's School of Nursing Alumnae at the regular meeting to be held at 8 p.m., March 1,

in the nurses' residence. Mr. Tymchuk will speak on the work of the CNIB and will show a film on the eye bank.

### PENSIONERS

Old Age Pensioners Organization No. 5 will meet Wednesday, March 2, at 1:30 p.m. in the Pro Patria Hall, 625 Courtney Street.

### BRITISH ISRAEL

Mr. R. E. Avery will speak on Christianity and the Mosaic Law at a meeting of British Israel World Federation, Monday at 3 p.m. in the Newstead Hall, 734 Fort Street.

### LODE CHAPTER

Robert Burns McMicking Chapter LOD will meet Tuesday, March 1, at 8 p.m. in the home of Miss Molly Edgar, 3116 Westdown.

### ROYAL ROADS

Royal Roads Chapter LOD will meet Wednesday, March 2, at 7:45 p.m. at 1010 Oliver Street.

### KIWANIANES

Monthly meeting of the Victoria Kiwanianes will be held March 2 at Uplands Golf Club at 6:30 p.m.

### WHOLESALE

TO THE PUBLIC

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Teen-agers have become a prime market for the fashion industry. This outfit by Manhattan features the popular long lean look. The boat-neckline tunic shirt with three-quarter ruffled sleeve is in a modern print and the poplin pants have perm-press finish. — (CP Photo)

## Big Business

## Fashions Now Designed To Please Teen-Agers

By MARGARET NEES

NEW YORK (CP) — Teen-agers are no longer being overlooked as a fashion group.

Clothes are being designed just to please them, and the effects of the trend have been so pervasive that adults have escaped this spring from becoming an older version of the teen set complete with high boots and swingy shoulders, length or razored-off hairdos.

The increasing interest in teen-age clothes is an economic one. Until recently mothers bought the teen wardrobes. There was no need to entice the teen-agers themselves into the stores.

Now teens are big business, especially since, in Canada, about half the female population is under 25. Another factor is that pre-teens and teens now have allowances and earn money. They're spending it on clothes they themselves — not their mothers — choose.

At the New York Couture Group's spring showings, Sears Roebuck presented a large group of young clothes to be featured in their newly-opened Junior Bazaar shops in leading Sears stores.

Simpson-Sears of Canada expects to have similar boutiques by fall. In the meantime, its larger stores will stock some of the Junior Bazaar fashions.

### LIKE GEOMETRICS

What's in store in 1966? While not as interested in the Mondrian abstractions of last season, haute couture is ignoring the Mondrian look entirely, the teens still like geometrics.

Off-beat ideas are often added, as in the stretch beach dress in purple and yellow geometrics with a white target-

circle dead centre, designed by Gayle Kirkpatrick, the up-and-coming New Yorker, for Ateller.

The target of porthole circle is also popular in adult casuals. At the Canadian collection shown recently in Montreal, designer Lydia Sperlich introduced it in a robe costume of vinyl and cotton.

Smocks are popular, especially in crepe. Sears showed a smock shift with high-yoke and ruffled sleeve trimmed in velvet threaded through eyelet lace. Another, for late day, was in white silky acetate knit, banded at the neckline, cuffs and hem in navy. There are even smocked suede "baby dresses."

Grannies continue to interest teens. The fad for these ankle-length, high-waisted dresses of their grandmother's era started with the Mods in London, took California by storm and then crossed back to New York. Canadian teens haven't gone quite as mad about them.

### SKIRTS SHORT

Skirts are short. Many are what now are called "flipsies" — a skimpy skirt that flips out at the hem. Betsey Johnson, young New York designer, has a smart one for Puritan Fashions in pin-dotted, navy-and-white, double-knit cotton.

Pants are always important in teen wardrobes. Some for spring are even in voile, a surprise fabric, as in purple dot hip pants worn with matching floral print. Incidentally, a mixture of dots and florals in any costume is high-fashion.

Hip-riding pants continue the Western influence. In Canada, Miss Sun Valley is showing a group of "Broncho" jackets and skirts. Bell-bottoms and straight skirts are both popular.

In accessories, it's the new crocheted-textured stockings by Hanes in antrun and stretch-nylon, a hit with teens in white, the newest spring color fancy. Ties are even co-ordinating velvet knee-highs with matching headbands worn toward the back of the head.

Boots continue to intrigue the teen. For spring it's ankle-to-calf-high and is reptile printed or white smooth leathers. Lacing, floppy ribbons and shoe-strings tied around on sandals and flaties. There's even polka-dot patent leather and combine-

tions of suede and reptile leather.

For handbags the interest is in smaller clutches with shoulder-strap.

Rollers, baby bonnets, construction helmets and peak caps are all popular and have one thing in common — they are worn at the back of the head.

## Nurses' Registry Continues

In 1909 the registry for the private duty nurses for B.C. was formed in Victoria. It has been in continuous use since that time.

Now that the local office is being closed, the nurses do not wish this service to the public to lapse, and accordingly have arranged to have the Telephone Answering service accept calls where special registered graduate nurses are required. Information may be obtained through a doctor or the hospital.

## Weavers Plan Exhibit

At a meeting of the Victoria Handweavers' Guild, it was announced that Mrs. H. L. Gonnason will be in charge of an exhibition to be held in the Art Gallery in the fall. She will be assisted by Mrs. K. Porter and Mrs. A. Anderson.

New members welcomed were Mrs. H. M. Lawford, Mrs. H. L. Henderson, Mrs. F. W. Mackon, Mrs. D. J. Steeves and Miss Joan Robertson.

A demonstration was given by the standards committee.

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## Modern Housewives Avoid Spring-Cleaning Trauma

By GAY PAULEY

NEW YORK (UPI) — The traumatic event known as "spring cleaning" is no more, claims one professional cleaning organization.

A good portion of the 48,000,000 women who faithfully scrub up the house and scrubbed it from top to bottom in former days no longer does so in one all-enveloping sweep. Instead, cleaning is a year-round process in most homes and today there's a more significant peak in the fall than in the spring.

So says Servitemaster, which calls itself the largest home and office cleaning concern in the nation and is in with a roundup on how times have changed. Maybe the woman of the house no longer hangs a carpet across a clothes-line for the children to beat out the dust with a broom. With electric clothes dryer, is there still a clothesline? With vacuum sweeper, is there still a broom? wonder?

But I'd argue that there is still some spring cleaning, no matter how faithful the weekly rout of dirt-like cleaning closets and drawers and re-lining as winter clothes go into storage and spring ones come out.

To the professional cleaning people, not only has the timing of cleaning changed, but so has the approach. Air-conditioning, new and cleaner heating systems, self-cleaning appliances, and easy-care fabrics for curtains, draperies and bedding all have combined to reduce the need for the annual scrubdown.

For instance, says Servitemaster, mother used to hang out and air all bedding prior to a seasonal changeover. Daughter merely machine washes bedding, and if she uses an electric blanket rarely changes the weight of the bed covers.

Mother took down, washed and stretched the curtains and gave the blinds a scrub. Daughter dips the easy-care curtains or drapes in suds (or sends them to the cleaners) and she's apt to use a miracle cleaner on the blinds.

Mother put slipcovers on furniture to make the house look cooler and protect good fabrics from summer dust and fading. Daughter depends on the air-conditioner for cooling and filtering dirt from the air.

Mother would spend a day scrubbing the range. Daughter uses an easy-care cleaner that unseals the crustiest of stoves rapidly or owns a self-cleaning oven.

Mother scrubbed kitchen and learning to contract for these bathroom walls and did the drudgery jobs on a year-round carpets herself. Daughter is basic.

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Afternoon show 2 p.m., \$1.00 Evening show 8 p.m., \$1.00





Mr. and Mrs. V. H. Noon, 1015 Davie Street, announce the forthcoming marriage of their youngest daughter, Phyllis Ann, to Mr. Michael Edward Taylor, elder son of Mr. and Mrs. E. J. Taylor, 1312 Summit Avenue. The wedding will take place at 8 p.m., Saturday, March 26, in St. Mary's Anglican Church with Canon Hywel Jones officiating. (Meyers Studio)



The forthcoming marriage is announced between Miss Betty Jane Boles and Mr. Lawrence Stuart Smith. The bride-elect is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Maurice Boles, 1301 Rudlin Street, and her fiancé is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Albert Smith, 1728 Newton Street. The wedding will take place at 8 p.m., Saturday, March 26, in Metropolitan United Church. (Campbell Studio)



Mr. and Mrs. Eric Bayley, 4020 Rainbow Street, Victoria, announce the engagement of their eldest daughter, Doreen Elizabeth, to Mr. Leslie Fred White of Victoria. The wedding is to take place Saturday, March 19, at 8 p.m. in St. Christopher's Anglican Church. (Campbell Studio)

## Serious Study Under Way On Aspects of Ideal Girdle

By PATRICIA McCORMACK  
NEW YORK (UPI) — What do women really think about that ah sweet misery of life—the girdle?

Will they talk about their life and times in Girdleland?

Serious questions, calling for study. After all, it was just a year ago that the New York State Medical Society's journal carried a report on obstructive vascular diseases caused by tight girdles.

The panty girdle syndrome, swelling of the lower extremities. In past years, similar symptoms were caused by leg trunks of the penal camp and the gay nineties garter.

For the questions about women's attitudes toward girdles, a girdle maker called in management experts from Octobry-Smith, Inc.

Over tea and cookies, women in five cities, including fashionable Scarsdale, N.Y., let their hair down about girdles.

One lady said when a girdle's too tight she gives it to a

relative to wear for a while. The sister-in-law, larger, stretches it.

The women liked plain girdles better than the ones with stripes, or art, or plaid designs. Such girdles struck them as comical.

Some marks of an ideal girdle, according to the study were: It should have a therapeutic effect on tired muscles, enhance appearance and be constructed in a way to compensate for unusual figure problems.

Intimate Apparel, the trade journal for the lingerie and foundation garment industries, reporting on new trends, notes

that some girdle manufacturers are raising the length of the panty girdle higher on the thigh in an attempt to stay above the rising dress hemlines.

Encircling the thigh at an even higher point can cause greater tourniquet constriction.

The firm that ordered the girdle study took the report on the panty girdle syndrome to heart, and came up with a newly designed and greatly-eased leg.

They took the girdle to the place where the "test report" was done, St. Vincent's Hospital, to have a follow-up medical study done by the cardiopulmonary laboratory.

Ten women wore the girdles, and the doctors measured leg diameter and circumference and ankle volume at 9 a.m. and again at 4 p.m. The doctors reported no significant increase in ankle size.

Their report indicates that the new design girdle prevents panty girdle syndrome.

The women who participated in the girdle talks, meanwhile, were hardest on females who don't wear foundation garments.

A typical comment: "Well, you see such a great roundness from the back that she just seems to be bulging. She is a sloppy person. Some people look in the mirror and see what they want."

## First Wedding Performed In St. Dunstan's Church

In St. Dunstan's Anglican Church, Archdeacon A. E. Hendy heard marriage vows of Judith Lillian, daughter of Mr.

and Mrs. John Hughes, and Terence James Watson, son of Mr. and Mrs. S. A. Watson, all of Victoria.

Spring flowers decorated the church for the double-ring ceremony at which the bride was given in marriage by her father. The informal ceremony was the first to be held in the new church.

For her wedding, the bride wore a three-piece knitted suit of pale pink with white accessories and white pill-box hat with a veil. Her flowers were pink carnations, roses and heather.

As bridesmaid, Miss Nancy Theora Hughes wore a pale yellow two-piece dress with matching pill box hat and white accessories. She carried a bouquet of pink carnations.

Mr. Ray Stacey was best man and guests were ushered to their places by Mr. E. Thomson and Mr. D. Nelson. Mr. Ray Stacey proposed a toast to the bride at a reception held at the

home of her parents on San Juan Avenue.

As the couple left later for a wedding trip up-island, the bride donned a camel hair coat over her wedding ensemble.

The newlyweds plan to live in Victoria.

Mrs. H. Heath, Mr. Keith Hughes and Mr. Douglas Dickson came from Vancouver to attend the wedding.

WHOLESALE TO THE PUBLIC SALE TELMAC NO MONEY DOWN

## Bishop To Give Talk

Bishop Remi J. de Roo will be guest speaker at the Women's Canadian Club at 2:30 p.m., Feb. 28, in the Empress Hotel Ballroom. His topic will be Ecumenism Today.

Bishop de Roo attended the four sessions of the second Vatican Council in Rome in the years 1962-65 and took active part in various phases of the deliberations.

## SOCIAL AND PERSONAL

Premier W. A. C. Bennett and Mrs. Bennett will be guests of honor, Monday evening, when the Social Credit Women's Auxiliaries of Greater Victoria entertain at a banquet in the Empress Hotel ballroom. The affair will be one of the highlights of the provincial May Bennett conference, being held on Monday and Tuesday in the hotel. The Greater Victoria auxiliaries are sponsoring the annual event.

### Golden Wedding Today

Mr. and Mrs. Peder Sivertsen will celebrate their golden wedding anniversary today with an afternoon "at home" from 2:30 to 5:30 p.m. at their Donnelly Street residence. Mr. and Mrs. Sivertsen have three children, Mr. Per Sivertsen and Mrs. Edal Foss of this city, and Mrs. Randi Manning of Camberly, Surrey, England, who is flying here for the occasion. Their four grandchildren are Peter and Wendy Sivertsen, Rolf Foss and Peter Manning. The family will entertain their parents at a dinner party at the Oak Bay Beach Hotel in the evening.

### Sails Today

Mrs. Louise Nesbitt of 1310 Franklin Street, sails today aboard the P & O Liner Chusan for Madeira and the Continent, returning from London near the end of April. She will be accompanied by Mrs. V. Rondeau of Regina.

### Engagement Announced

Mr. and Mrs. Ivan Thorburn announce the engagement of their eldest daughter, Lorraine, to Mr. Brian Burns, eldest son of Mr. and Mrs. Raphael Burns of London, Ont.

### Family Reception

A small family reception was held at the Alder Street home of Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Elwell in honor of Mr. and Mrs. Roy A. Harness who were married recently in Carnduff, Sask. Mrs. Harness is the former Mrs. Irene Henderson of Carnduff, Sask. Guests were Mr. and Mrs. H. Elwell, Mr. and Mrs. P. W. Elwell, Mrs. R. Harrison, Miss Norma Elwell, Mr. Barry Warner, Miss Muriel McKeown, Miss Lalla Todostyck and Mr. Tony Todostyck.

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# Winning Contract

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If you need to attack two suits to make your contract, it is almost certain that you will win. Today's declarer could have won the trick he needed had he gone after the minor suits in the wrong order.

North's negative response to the Big Club opening indicated that he had less than 9 points. South could have rebid two no trump to show his 21-22. (With 19-20, the procedure is to open the Big Club and rebid one no trump, while with 23-24, you bid two no trump on the first round.) A two no trump rebid could indeed be the best move with some partners, for it is desirable to make the weaker hand the declarer. But an experienced player should be alive to this angle and bid no trump only when his hand is suitable. After South's non-forcing rebid of two diamonds, North held enough for a raise to three, and with some assurance that the diamond suit could be established South decided to shoot the borderline no trump game.

West opened the heart jack and East's king fell to declarer's ace. South could count eight probable tricks if the diamond suit behaved, but there was a danger that E-W might run hearts before declarer could build a ninth trick.

Needing tricks from both the minor suits, declarer adopted a strategy to which E-W had no answer. He led a small club to the second trick. West could not hope with the ace without establishing four club tricks enough for game. After dummy's club queen had won the trick, declarer shifted to diamonds and landed his contract.

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## 6-cyl. standard de luxe model.

## One owner case history car.

## Reg. \$2,195. Success Sale

## Price ..... \$1,993

## 73 CHEV IMPALA SUPER

## SPORTS 2-DOOR HARDTOP

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## matic shift, whitewall tires,

## radio, power steering, power

## brakes, V-8. Hard to find

## model. Reg. \$3,195. Success

## Sale Price ..... \$2,969

## 74 CHEVY II

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## vinyl interior, whitewall

## tires, disc brakes. Reg. \$2,495.

## Success Sale Price ..... \$2,153

## 75 DODGE POLARA

## 440 WAGON

## V-8 automatic, power brakes,

## steering, radio, as new. Balance

## of 5-year, 50,000-mile

## warranty. Cost new \$4,700.

## Success Sale Price ..... \$3,790

## 76 CORVAIR MONZA

## 4-DOOR HARDTOP

## Automatic, custom radio,

## white walls, vinyl interior.

## One owner. Reg. \$2,995.

## Success Sale Price ..... \$2,680

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## vinyl interior, one owner.

## case history car. Reg. Price

## \$2,495. Success Sale Price

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## Success Sale Price ..... \$495

## 70 INTERNATIONAL 1/2-TON PICKUP

## Success Sale Price ..... \$785

## 71 DODGE 1/2-TON PICKUP

## Success Sale Price ..... \$795

## 72 FORD 1/2-TON PICKUP

## Success Sale Price ..... \$835

## 73 FORD 1/2-TON PICKUP

## Success Sale Price ..... \$265























## 'Bible' of Labor Given New Look

By BEN WARD

OTTAWA (CP)—Former editor Mackenzie King probably wouldn't have allowed it, but the Labor Gazette has undergone its first major format change in more than 65 years of publication.

Starting with the January issue, the official government monthly on labor news and dean of Canadian magazines in the field has moved to a larger page size with three columns of print instead of two.

In addition, the Canadian coat of arms has been removed from the cover. Features on the coat of arms include the Union Jack, the crown and the British Lion.

### 'IMPROVEMENT'

Conservative MPs protested in the Commons last year when the coat of arms was dropped from social insurance cards and replaced by the maple leaf design. They contended it was another move in a subtle government campaign to eliminate all traces of Canada's British connection.

However, the coat of arms is not being replaced on the Gazette, and editor-in-chief W. S. Drinkwater said in an interview its removal is "purely a matter of improving cover makeup." By the 1900 statute setting up the magazine, it technically is under sole control of its editor, and Mr. Drinkwater said he made the decision without government advice.

"Protocol says you can't print anything above the crown and this has sometimes made it

difficult to design covers," he said.

The change in page size will be far more noticeable. Ever since 1900 it has been 8 1/2 inches by 11. The new dimensions are 8 1/2 by 11.

The magazine, which reports in detail developments in the labor field, has had probably the strangest history of any government publication.

It formed the one-man nucleus of what now is the federal labor department and, more important, brought to the Ottawa scene the man who was eventually to become prime minister and hold that office longer than anybody in the country's history.

### RECRUITED

Mackenzie King was recruited for the editorship by Sir William Mulock, then postmaster-general, even before Sir William had won approval of the Labor Gazette bill in the Commons.

During the debate, Opposition MPs voiced suspicions that the magazine would become an organ of the Liberal government. Sir William assured them it would deal purely in facts.

A month later, King wrote in his diary: "Today I had a pretty good revelation as to the attitude of politicians towards government work. Mr. Mulock went through my articles and everything which in any way could count for a Conservative he scored out."

He wants to have the first issue really a campaign document filled with references to past doings of government."

The Gazette was launched 18 days before the general election of that year, making its debut at the annual meeting of the old Trades and Labor Congress. Mr. King eventually eliminated political interference and developed the magazine into the respected "Bible" of labor history which it is today. He ran it for nine years before his appointment as labor minister in the Laurier government.

### KEPT EYE ON IT

But he never lost interest in the Gazette and even after becoming prime minister kept in close touch with its development. No major decisions were made there without his prior approval.

### BILINGUAL

Among the editors or assistant editors who followed him were Robert H. Coats, later the first Dominion statistician; Bryce M. Stewart, first employment service director; J. W. Willard, now deputy welfare minister, and John Mainwaring, now director of international affairs in the labor department.

Mr. King's original assistant was Henry A. Harper who was recruited in 1901 attempting to rescue a girl skater on the Ottawa River. A statue of Sir Galsworthy erected as a memorial to his sacrifice still stands in front of Parliament Hill.

Current editor is Jack E. Nugent who took over last September when Mr. Drinkwater became chief of labor department publications. He has a staff of seven handling the English and French issues of The Gazette.



## 'Flowers that Bloom in Spring ...'

Spring thoughts appear to be going through head of Annette Chan, 15, as she looks over King Arthur daffodils in her father's store, Alpine

Market on Fort Street. A Grade 8 student at S. J. Willis High School, she lends helping hand after class.—(William E. John)

## Canada Alerted To Quake Danger

OTTAWA (CP)—A federal scientist says he believes it's time Canadians awoke to the fact that serious earthquakes occur in this country.

Dr. John H. Hodgson, director of the observatory branch of the mines and technical surveys department, has a startling list of facts to back up his argument.

In a paper titled "There Are Earthquake Risks in Canada," published first in the Canadian Consulting Engineer and in the December issue of the Emergency Measures Organization (EMO) Digest, he has compiled a brief history of earthquakes complete with graphs and maps.

### 'BLISSFULLY UNAWARE'

A former chief of the Dominion Observatory's seismological division, Dr. Hodgson writes that Canadian seismologists have shown evidence of the danger of earthquakes in Canada but "engineers in general remain blissfully unaware of the extent of earthquake risks in this country."

To "shock them" he recalls that in 1960 the town of Agadir in Morocco was almost completely wrecked by an earthquake—12,500 killed, a similar population of about 30,000.

### COULD NOT ENFORCE

"Since 1925 Canada has had several earthquakes larger than the Agadir one; four were at least 20 times as large and one was 500 times as large."

"From historical records it is certain that similar earthquakes have existed both on the Pacific coast and in the St. Lawrence Valley since the beginning of settlement."

### UNDER MONTREAL

"One of these 'historical' earthquakes was apparently under the present city of Montreal; Ottawa may have had an earthquake as large as that of Agadir directly under it and has certainly had larger ones south and west of it and nearby as large north of it; the city of Vancouver has had earthquakes 20 times as large as that of

Agadir, north and south of it, and almost certainly east of it."

Dr. Hodgson did not find this as shocking as "the fact that no major Canadian city has yet enforced the earthquake provisions of the National Building Code."

"It seems to me criminal that schools, hospitals and large apartment blocks should be built without any thought for the lateral forces which they may have to undergo in an earthquake."

### LUCKY TO ESCAPE

Again for comparison purposes he cites an earthquake that struck Long Beach, Calif., in 1933. That quake occurred in soil conditions no worse than in most Canadian areas, and living conditions and building standards were similar to those in Canada.

The Long Beach earthquake did \$50,000,000 worth of damage. Every school was damaged; communications, including the fire alarm system, were disrupted; many fires were started and all fire stations were wrecked. This earthquake had a magnitude of 6.2.

"Several Canadian earthquakes released between 20 and 50 times as much energy as this \$50,000,000 shock."

### WHY LITTLE DAMAGE

Why has Canada had such little damage from them? "I submit it is purely a matter of luck. We didn't happen to have cities where the earthquakes struck at the time they struck."

Dr. Hodgson lists 28 "larger" Canadian earthquakes ranging in magnitude from 5.5 to 7.5. They range in time from 138 to 1955 and geographically from the St. Lawrence River near the mouth of the Saguenay, to the Queen Charlotte Islands in the Pacific Ocean.

Factors determining the severity of the quake are its depth, nature of the soil and the nature of the buildings in the area. Other risks are those of tidal waves and fires.

### PLANT VIRUSES

To be discussed

Virus infections in plants will be discussed Thursday at the University of Victoria by Dr. Marvin Weintraub, head of virus chemistry and physiology, Canada Department of Agriculture research branch in Vancouver.

The talk will be given at 8 p.m. in Room 167 of the Elliott Building on the Gordon Head campus.

### WHOLESALE SALE

TO THE PUBLIC

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NO MONEY DOWN

## 19th Century Buildings Shackle British Rail

### Smallpox Rages In Uganda

KAMPALA, Uganda (Reuters)—In the biggest smallpox epidemic experienced in Uganda in modern times, 29 persons have died within a four-month period and 385 confirmed cases of the disease have been detected.

Dr. S. B. Kisekka, minister of health for the kingdom of Uganda, said the situation now is under control, though only after about 1,000,000 people in the kingdom were vaccinated in an emergency campaign.

The outbreak, believed to have been brought into Uganda from the Congo, affected many parts of the country.

### DEFENCE CONSTRUCTION (1961) LIMITED

Notice to Tenderers  
PROJECT: Extension to Laboratory  
RMC Building, Esplanade, B.C.  
File: 908-878-1.

Tender closing date for the above referenced has been extended from 2:00 p.m. Eastern Standard Time, Thursday, March 3, 1966 to 2:00 p.m. Eastern Standard Time, Thursday, March 16, 1966.

### NOTICE TO CREDITORS

In the matter of the Estate of JANE CUNNINGHAM OMAN, late of Victoria, B.C., deceased.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that creditors and others having claims against the estate of the above deceased are hereby required to send them to the undersigned executor at 1380 Government Street, Victoria, B.C., before the 8th day of April, 1966, after which date the executor will distribute the said estate amongst the parties entitled thereto, having regard only to the claims of which they then have notice.

### THE ROYAL TRUST COMPANY, Executors.

By their solicitor, John H. Stone.

### RE BUSINESS TAX CITY OF VICTORIA

TAKE NOTICE that the first sitting of the Board of Revision to hear appeals pursuant to the 1965 Assessment Act for Business Tax purposes for the City of Victoria will be held in the City Hall, Centennial Square, at the City of Victoria, commencing at 10 o'clock in the forenoon, Monday, March 14, 1966.

DATED at Victoria, this 21st day of February, A.D. 1966.

### THE CORPORATION OF THE CITY OF VICTORIA

NOTICE TO CREDITORS

IN THE MATTER OF THE ESTATE OF DOUGLAS EDWIN ARTHUR, deceased. Late of 11111 Verdier Avenue, B.C.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that creditors and others having claims against the estate of the above deceased are hereby required to send them to the undersigned executor at 501 Royal Trust Building, 613 View Street, Victoria, B.C., before the 28th day of March, A.D. 1966, after which date the executor will distribute the said estate amongst the parties entitled thereto, having regard only to the claims of which they then have notice.

Mr. Paul William Austin—Executor

By his solicitor,  
Donald R. C. Anderson,  
Barrister and Solicitor,  
613 View Street,  
Victoria, B.C.

### NOTICE OF APPLICATION FOR CHANGE OF NAME

NOTICE is hereby given that an application will be made to the Director of Vital Statistics for a change of name pursuant to the provisions of the "Change of Name Act," by Mrs. William Robert Pugh, residing at 11111 Verdier Avenue, B.C., in the Province of British Columbia, as follows:

My wife's name from Donna Cecile Pugh to Donna Cecile Stevens. My minor, unmarried child's name from Sherry Lynn Pugh to Sherry Lynn Stevens.

Dated this 23rd day of February, A.D. 1966.

WILLIAM ROBERT PUGH

By PETER BUCKLEY

LONDON (CP)—It's no good arranging to meet someone "at the railway station" in London. With 15 railway terminals in the central London area, it requires painstaking precision for that type of meeting.

British rail, the nationalized railway system in Great Britain, claims that London has the largest number of terminals in the world.

The claim is made more in exasperation than pride. However much it costs to keep all the stations open, it would cost far more to try closing some of them and rerouting the railway lines.

Many of the stations have become familiar to Canadians, as the armies of tourists flocked to London on the heels of the

wartime Canadian armies who were shunted through Waterloo, Charing Cross, Victoria, King's Cross, Euston, Paddington or one of the other great railway caverns.

"In fact, we're still prisoners of our 19th-century railway building habits," a British Rail official said in an interview.

In the dynamic early Victorian era, when free enterprise was at its most uninhibited and railway building became a national mania, railroads blossomed throughout Britain. By the end of the last century, there were more than 100 railway companies in the country.

The railways were grouped into four main organizations beginning in the 1920s and the whole system was nationalized in 1948.

With rare exceptions, they're using facilities built for a more leisurely age.

London Bridge, built in 1836, is the oldest of the stations but most of the others were completed before 1870 and have changed little since.

The biggest London stations are vast, dingy, drafty and crowded. The others usually differ only in degree although one or two, like the 65-year-old Marylebone, are small and quiet enough to retain some charm.

Attempts to modernize parts of the stations—like the highly publicized installation of gleaming new washrooms at 105-year-old Victoria Station—usually only succeed in making the rest of the building look worse.

And attempts at major reorganization or rebuilding have run into the twin problems of zoning and cost. Except for a brief lapse between 1961 and 1964—when the small Cannon Street and Holborn Viaduct stations were rebuilt—government policy is set against any more major commercial projects in London.

In any case, London is filled with railway buffs who could be counted on to oppose attempts to demolish any of the stations. Each terminal has its own history and its own nostalgic admirers.

Paddington only recently saw the last steam locomotive leave the London area and was long

noted for its holiday trains to Cornwall and the West Country. The grimy marble of Blackfriars still bears the names of the express trains which used to leave from there for Berlin, Warsaw and Constantinople. Each of the others has an equal claim to fond memories.

British Rail, which would have liked to put office or commercial buildings above its strung.

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Two other areas would seem to be prime prospects for amalgamation. King's Cross and St. Pancras stations are just across the street from each other and their railway lines partially overlap. The same situation exists for Liverpool Street and Broad Street stations.

"But the cost of amalgamating such stations would be terrific," the British Rail spokesman said, "and it's difficult to see where the capital would come from unless we're allowed to include some commercial or office development in the overall plan."

"The future of the London terminals, in brief, looks anything but bright."

## Focal Points

But by then, it was really too late to do much about cutting down the number of railway stations.

Many of them, built in the mid-19th century in what was then London's outskirts, had become institutions in their own right, surrounded by the mushrooming city.

Waterloo, biggest and busiest of them all, now handles some 220,000 passengers a day on its 21 platforms. Liverpool Street station, with 18 platforms, takes 210,000 passengers daily and London Bridge another 180,000. In all, an estimated 1,300,000 persons from the suburbs and farther afield are funnelled through the 15 London terminals on an average day.

## Cost Bars Change

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## Failure Rankles

British Rail is still quietly simmering at the memory of one recent attempt to cash in on its now-valuable property.

In a continuing reorganization of its freight services, British Rail decided to close down the freight yard at Marylebone Station. The 28 acres of prime west-end land freed by the move would have been worth a fortune if developed privately.

British Rail believes, but various levels of government stepped in.

The result is that the freight yard is being sold to Westminster City Council for about £3,250,000 (\$9,750,000) and will be replaced by public housing, parks and schools.

## Contract Issues Formulated By Eight Locals

Talks are under way in Vancouver at which the eight west coast locals of the International Woodworkers of America are formulating demands for a new contract with the B.C. forest industry.

The union is to outline its proposals at a press conference called for Monday.

About 25,000 workers and 135 companies will be involved in negotiations beginning next month. The present contract expires in June.

In the Greater Victoria area, there are 1,700 IWA members.

employed by a dozen companies, the largest of which is B.C. Forest Products.

In Portland this week, it was indicated that woodworkers would be pressing for a 93-cent hourly package increase, 60 cents of this to be a wage boost, the rest to take the form of fringe benefits.

The statement came after a joint western regional conference of representatives of six lumber and paper products unions, which have pledged mutual support in forthcoming negotiations with employers.

### At the Gallery

## Korean Ceramics Embody Classic Designs

By INA D. D. UNTHOFF

The ancient Korean ceramics on loan from the well-known collector, Sydney Hoare of Vancouver, show their age by the signs of having been underground for periods of time that can only be guessed at.

The stains of earth on the tomb figures of soft earthenware, the pitted conditions of some of the glazed pieces due to burial, point to the likelihood of the pottery dating from the Koryo Dynasty, 918-1392 AD and recovered from ancient tombs.

As the Koryo Dynasty followed the Tang Dynasty of the early 7th century, it appears to have profited by the research of the potters of the earlier period.

This was one of the world's classic periods and Koryo Ceramics equal some of the finest of the Sung ware in form and glaze.

Arranged, as an exhibit at the Art Gallery of Greater Victoria,

this is of special interest to potters. The glazes are simple, mostly in a limited range of green and famous soft greens of the Celadon group.

Then there is a rare octagonal bowl and an interesting Kudara vase with an unusual spout.

As well as the molded decoration used on the little jar with the pierced lid, there is the inlaid decoration in off-white and black used with consummate skill in some of the smaller pieces.

Mr. Hoare is a discriminating collector who has in the past generously lent to the art gallery some of his cherished possessions. The most recent previous one was a collection of 18th and 19th century watercolors.

The current exhibition will be on show until March 6.

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Garden Notes

# Flatter the Spud

By M. V. CHEENET

I was mentioning not long ago that the average home gardener can pick up and handle an onion without ever realizing that what he has in his hands is actually a bulb—every bit as much of a bulb as that of the Lily. In fact, the onion is a humble but legitimate member of the lily family.

We have much the same mental blind spot with the potato. Here we are dealing with a tuber, similar in many ways with the tubers of the Dahlia and the begonia and it is interesting to compare the way we handle the flower tubers with the treatment accorded the humble spud.

Because we are anxious to have flowers in our garden fairly early in the summer, our begonia and dahlia tubers are given a head start indoors or under glass by sprouting them under controlled conditions before we plant them out. With spuds, we buy a bag of seed potatoes and simply bung them in the ground.

Potatoes can be given a head start too. There isn't much point in this if you grow your potatoes to store for winter use, for in this case, the later they

mature, the less trouble you will have in arranging cool storage for the crop, but if you crave a feed of new potatoes two weeks ahead of your neighbors, there are quite a few advantages in getting your seed tubers sprouted ahead of time.

Potatoes will sprout only too easily. It is true, but if the sprouting takes place in a warm, dark basement, the shoots will be weak, pale, spindly and useless for our purpose.

The easiest way to get the jump on the season is to set up your seed potatoes on end in a shallow box, tray or seed flat and expose them to plenty of light in a coolish place. The end of the tuber with the most eyes should be uppermost, and if you have any trouble deciding which end is which, look for traces of the little "tail" by which the tuber was attached to the plant last year. This end goes down.

If you want to go fancy and do an even better job of sprouting your spuds, you can pack the interstices between the tubers with damp peat moss.

A sunny window in a cool room will serve for your trays of sprouting spuds, or you can use a sunporch or

## The Novel Approach SYDNEY HARRIS

Every so often, with the makes life seem smaller and heavier feeling that it is my duty as a writer, I pick up a new novel. An hour later, I lay it down again, with an even heavier feeling.

Modern fiction, for the most part, is divided into two kinds: the popular novel, which deals with dull characters who arrive at an implausibly happy ending; and the avant-garde novel, which deals with sick characters who arrive at an inevitably miserable ending.

Both these sorts are drugs rather than literature. The first sort is a drug that makes life seem bigger and brighter and more hopeful than it is; the second sort is a drug that

## The Little World of SHEILAH GRAHAM

### Quinns in the Swim

NEW YORK (NANA)—Anthony Quinn and his bride, Yolanda, are very much in the social swim at Palm Beach and Miami Beach where Tony is preparing to start his new picture, Mr. Innocent. Mrs. Quinn, whom Tony married soon after the first of the year, is hoping that the new bambino, their third, will be born during the Florida location. Actually the baby could be born anywhere with all the homes they have—two in Hollywood, a big villa in Rome, one A-building in the south of France, and plans for a Hacienda on the island of Rhodes. The Quinns are hoping they will have a girl this time and, if they do, they will name her Alexandria.

Michael Wilding called to say that he was delighted to be backstage, instead of in front of the footlights, at wife Margaret Leighton's opening night in the new Tennessee Williams Broadway show, Slapstick Tragedy. "The panic for an actor on the first night is too much. You look through the curtain and hear everyone chattering out front while you are shaking with fright," Mike, happy in his third marriage—wife number one was a British actress, number two, Elizabeth Taylor—is still an agent, he told me, but not for Elizabeth.

The Supremes, the three girls whose records sell second only to the Beatles, will film a sequence in Choice Cuts for producer Arthur Jacobs. I asked their boss, perky Motown records president, Berry Gordie Jr., how he was doing. "I'm pretty rich," he admitted. Berry started singing a few years ago in a car assembly line in Detroit. Now, in addition to his record company, the happy little man owns four apartment houses in Detroit, has many top singers under

## Marriage Changes Women

By HAL BOYLE

Everything changes in this world—but nothing changes more than women.

Compared with the variability of women, chameleons are rank amateurs.

Clouds change endlessly. So do waves upon the sea and colors on the landscape. But none change more than women's moods.

Many things make surface changes in women—such things as cosmetics, hairdos, hats, eye makeup, girdles and different skirt lengths.

But none of these affect the inner girl. Inside she is still the same—that is, until she marries. Then she seems to explode in all directions.

"Is this the same sweet girl I courted?" her wondering husband asks. "I feel as though I'm living with a total stranger."

He has made the discovery that all husbands make sooner or later: Nothing seems to change a girl more than marriage.

For example: Before marriage she liked to walk miles with you. After marriage her arches begin to break down if you can't get her a cab within half a block.

Once she said, "I want you to stay just as you are. I don't want you ever to be any different."

But when the glory of the honeymoon fades, she says: "In the name of high heaven, aren't you ever going to grow up?"

Before marriage she murmured anxiously: "If you really don't like my cooking, please tell me." After marriage she barks: "If you don't like the way I burned your TV dinner, go out in the refrigerator and thaw out another one. Then you can burn it any way you like."

She always dressed like a princess on parade in the old days. Now she comes down to breakfast looking like three witches in Macbeth.

Before marriage she exclaimed prettily, "oh, how did you know it was my birthday?" After marriage the storms: "How could you forget it was my birthday? After all, it comes only once a year."

In the sweet long ago, she loved to hold hands with you. Now all she puts in your hands are slabs to be dried.

Remember how happy she said she'd be when the two of you had a little apartment of your own? Now, unless you take her out at least two nights a week, she wails, "this isn't a home—it's a prison."

She used to plan about how she'd help you carry out your life's dreams. Now all she

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## Sukarno Bans Anti-Reds

SINGAPORE (AP) — President Sukarno of Indonesia ordered a powerful anti-Communist student organization dissolved Friday, banned all demonstrations and imposed a curfew on Jakarta, a broadcast from the Indonesian capital reported.

Sukarno acted after the student organization led a five-mile funeral parade of 10,000 through Jakarta protesting what they called the "new Communist cabinet." Marines and police with machine-guns watched but reports in Singapore said the army sympathized with the students.

The students marched in a funeral parade for three comrades—one a girl—who were shot by guards in a demonstration outside Sukarno's palace Thursday. The students were protesting Sukarno's firing of Gen. Abdul Haris Nasution, an anti-Communist, as defence minister in a cabinet reshuffle Monday.

Banned was the pro-army Indonesian Student Action Front. It led the demonstrations outside the palace as well as the funeral parade.

Jakarta radio said Sukarno also banned all student gatherings of more than five persons anywhere and warned action would be taken against trouble-making students.

The Jakarta curfew starts at 10:30 p.m. and lasts until 6:30 a.m.

### Stupich Estimates

## Downstream Benefits Down Drain by '67

All the money given to British Columbia by the United States for downstream power benefits on the Columbia River will be used up by the end of 1967, a New Democrat MLA estimated Friday.

David Stupich (NDP, Nanaimo-The Islands) told the legislature he figures that \$501,000,000 will be spent on the Columbia project by the end of next year, while B.C. will have received only \$373,000,000 in interest and the original payment.

**WOULD BE SHORT**

Financing of the project to that date would be \$128,000,000 short, he said, which along with \$12,000,000 interest would amount to \$140,000,000.

Mr. Stupich told the House the government is not spending a world famine relief fund which had been established.

**SURPLUS FUND**

He proposed the government should draw \$1,000,000 from its surplus revenue fund for a special account from which five per cent interest payments, or

\$50,000 a year, could be earned and turned over to the United Nations International Children's Emergency Fund.

The MLA also said he does not see any point in stockpiling a large surplus revenue fund.

**NOT DEBT-FREE**

He said the government cannot claim to be debt-free because the B.C. Hydro alone has a total liability of nearly \$1,000,000,000, or \$547 per person in the province.

**RUSSIAN MOVE TROOPS**

**Near China Frontier**

MOSCOW (AP)—Mongolia and the Soviet Union ratified a new treaty of alliance Friday as unconfirmed reports reached Moscow that two or three Soviet Army divisions have entered Mongolia.

The troops were reported sent recently because of Chinese military concentrations near Mongolia, which lies between China and Soviet Siberia.

## Dogwoods to Bloom At Tokyo Palace

Lands and Forests Minister Williston flew to Japan Friday with a handful of dogwood saplings for Crown Prince Akihito and some information about B.C.'s timber policies.

Premier Bennett told the legislature Mr. Williston left by CPA and will return very shortly.

"He takes with him a number of dogwood saplings which I promised would be sent to their Imperial Highnesses, The Crown Prince Akihito and the Princess Michiko."

The premier visited the imperial residence in May. At that time he presented a painting of B.C.'s dogwood floral emblem.

The said the royal couple showed interest in the tree and said they had in their garden trees from all over the world.

"I suggested that we would be honored to have them accept some dogwoods from us to symbolize the close ties which were being developed between Japan and B.C."

While in Tokyo, Mr. Williston plans technical discussions with Honshu Pulp and Paper over their development at Skookumchuck.



Williston, sapling

## Prison Gates Opened By New Ghana Regime

By KENNETH L. WHITING  
ACCRA (AP) — Ghana's new military regime opened the gates of the Nkrumah regime's

prisons Friday and 450 political detainees, many feeble and ill, came out.

Thousands of relatives and friends crowded around massive Usher Fort and other jails. While firing continued briefly against a last stand by elite guardsmen of the old regime, the new leaders started a round-up of Nkrumah supporters and took steps to overhaul the country's virtually bankrupt economy.

**FOUGHT FOR RADIO**

The fighting was for control of Radio Ghana, seized by the rebels early Thursday morning. A number of special guards were reported killed in a clash at Broadcasting House.

At nearby police headquarters Lt. Gen. J. A. Ankrah, chief of the new National Liberation Council, appointed a seven-man group to get the country moving toward prosperity.

**TWO DOZEN DEAD**

Unofficial figures indicated 20 to 25 persons were killed in the coup, including 10 to 14 of the Soviet-trained presidential guard.

The gunfire was reported to have erupted on a visit to radio headquarters by Col. E. K. Kotoka, believed to be the active leader of the revolt.

**COUNTRY CALM**

Otherwise the country of 7,500,000 persons was calm. A Tass dispatch from Peking quoted Nkrumah as saying "I am returning to Ghana soon."

The army and police continued a hunt for officials of Nkrumah's Convention People's party, outlawed when Nkrumah was deposed and the constitution suspended Thursday.

Despite the hunt, administration of Ghana outside Accra was turned over to the regional civil service instead of the armed forces.

Among those being sought in the countryside was Geoffrey Bing, 56, a left-wing British lawyer who has been Nkrumah's close friend and adviser since before independence in 1957. Some called him the power behind the ousted president.

The Ghanaian Times, formerly a special organ of the

**I'll Be Back —Nkrumah**

MOSCOW (UPI) — Ousted Ghanaian president Kwame Nkrumah said in Peking Friday that he still considers himself constitutional head of the government and that he will return to Ghana "soon," the Soviet news agency Tass reported.

Foreign Minister Alex Quashigaa-Sackey, who accompanied Nkrumah on his Far East mission, said the Ghanaian Asian mission "will be continued and that the president knows about the situation in Ghana."

**Reds Blame U.S., U.K.**

MOSCOW (UPI)—The Soviet news agency Tass said there were "increasingly clear hints that the U.S. Central Intelligence Agency and the British Intelligence Service had a hand in the overthrow of President Nkrumah of Ghana."

## Help for Chronic Alcoholics, Too

# Licence-Lifting Bill Bared

By JACK FRY  
Legislative Reporter

Attorney-General Robert Bonner's assault on alcohol closed in on two fronts Friday. New legislation aimed at getting borderline impaired drivers off the road was introduced in the legislature.

A second bill will give magistrates the power to try to rehabilitate chronic drinkers instead of sending them to jail.

The road safety section of a bill containing a number of amendments to the Motor Vehicle Act authorizes officers to confiscate for 24 hours the

licence of any driver who has liquor on his breath.

If the driver wants to get his licence back immediately, he will have to prove either by a medical certificate or a breathalyzer test that his body blood alcohol content is less than .08 per cent.

The attorney-general explained outside the House, however, that "police may not use roadside suspensions as a means of gathering evidence for further proceedings under the Criminal Code."

He said the .08 per cent level is an "arbitrary figure" which

was originally recommended by the Canadian Medical Association and which the Canadian Bar Association once suggested should be included in the drinking driver section of the Criminal Code.

Mr. Bonner said officers

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### Quebec Bankruptcies

# Tory Links Lawyer To Racket

By RON COLLISTER  
Colonist Ottawa Bureau

OTTAWA—Conservative crime-buster Erik Nielsen said last night that he can show the link between murdered Montreal lawyer Francois Payette and the bankruptcy racket in Quebec.

Starting his much-heralded, new expose of scandal, Mr. Nielsen indicated he is holding his main fire until the government answers written questions he has put on the order paper about bankruptcies. But Friday he gave the Commons a taste of what is to come.

He accused Justice Minister Cardin of minimizing the racket and added: "Bodies are being dug up all over the province of Quebec."

Cardin exploded: "Does the fact that bodies are being dug up all over Quebec or any other place mean it has something to do with bankruptcies?"

**FAVOUR EMBITS**

Nielsen: "Does the minister sit there and endeavor to suggest to me that the murder of Payette is not linked with fraudulent bankruptcies?"

Cardin: "Can you say that it is?"

Nielsen: "I can and will do so after the minister has answered my questions."

**HOW?** erupted Guy Favreau, president of the Privy Council and casualty in Nielsen's last scandal-busting spree, the revelations over the Rivard case.

**FIVE COMPANIES**

Nielsen snapped that he could name five companies that Payette was connected with, but he would not do so yet.

"It will be done after the minister produces the answers to my questions," he added.

Payette's body was found stuffed in the trunk of a car in Montreal. His business was mainly bankruptcy cases.

**MAJOR ISSUE**

Fraudulent bankruptcies became a major issue in the election campaign last year.

Tory leader Diefenbaker accused the government of hindering the investigation.

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### Montreal

## Bandits Grab \$100,000

MONTREAL (CP)—Two men scooped an estimated \$100,000 from teller drawers at a bank branch Friday and escaped while frightened employees watched.

The robbers, armed with pistols and machine-guns, smashed through a window about 20 minutes before the Bank of Montreal branch, in the Hydro Quebec building on Dorchester Blvd. W., opened.

A spokesman for the bank set the loot at "about \$100,000."

**STOOD GUARD**

One bandit stood guard at a waiting car outside while two others pushed two tellers aside and gathered up money from cash drawers. A fourth came through the broken window but stayed just inside. One report said a fifth man was in the car.

J. A. Dandurand, manager at the branch, who was an eyewitness, said the men pushed the tellers roughly, saying "Move aside, you..." in French. The man at the window also swore and urged the others, "Quick, quick, step on it."

**NO ONE HURT**

He said five other tellers were standing behind the counter but they were not molested as they had not been given their money for the day. He said all were in reach of alarm devices to warn police but everyone, including himself, was paralyzed.

### Calcium, Red Cells Vanish Mysteriously

# Space Whittles at Man's Blood, Bones

By ALVIN B. WESS JR.

HOUSTON (UPI) — U.S. astronauts lose bits of their blood and bones during voyages in space, medical experts said Friday.

Moreover, it appears, the cosmic pilots cannot quite divorce themselves from the Eastern Standard Time zone despite the 45 minute "days" and "nights" that they live in orbit.

It is not, however, as serious as it might sound. At least, that was the optimistic tone of medical papers presented before some 750 delegates attending a three-day Gemini mid-conference review.

Several doctors said astronauts aboard two of America's marathon Gemini flights through space had somehow lost part of their red blood cell masses and some of the bone-

Gemini 5 astronauts L. Gordon Cooper and Charles Conrad hardening calcium from their skeletons.

And Gemini 7 pilots Frank Borman and James Lovell, eight and 14 days in orbit respectively, "lost 7 to 20 per cent of their red cell mass," said Dr. Lawrence F. Dietlein of the Manned Spacecraft Centre.

No one seemed to know what happened to the red cell mass. But Dr. Charles Berry, the astronauts' personal physician, suggested earlier this part of the blood could have migrated to another part of the body or perhaps was completely expelled.

Bone calcium also tends to diminish during weightlessness, according to a team of doctors who spend some amount of time

studying astronaut heel bones and fingers.

Dr. G. Donald Whedon of the National Institute of Arthritis and Metabolic Diseases expressed concern that "significant losses" of calcium and other body mineral "in spaceflights continuing over several weeks theoretically could lead to a serious weakness of bone and muscle."

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## Prisoners Freed

Convention People's party, quickly fell into line with the coup.

The people of Ghana forever remember this day as a day when they saw the first ray of true freedom," it says in an editorial.

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## Drinkers Hit

will now have to decide "on the spot" whether to suspend a driver's licence or charge the person with impaired or drunken driving. But can't do both.

The new suspension law will be brought into effect in different areas as the dates are set by the provincial cabinet, he said. Earlier, the attorney-general had said Vancouver Island and the Lower Mainland will be the first areas affected.

One section of the new amendment states that a car involved in an accident in which more than \$100 damage was caused, cannot be repaired until a police is attached to it by a peace officer, indicating that the accident has been duly reported and the owner has complied with all necessary requirements.

Another section states that

The leaders of the coup said they overthrew Nkrumah because he "suppressed individual rights and liberties, ran the country "as if it were his own personal property" and had forced Ghana to the brink of bankruptcy.

As the army consolidated its hold on the country the airport was reopened for daylight traffic and telephone and cable links to the outside world were restored.

### PRISONERS FREED

Accra radio announced 400 more political prisoners, foes of Nkrumah, would be freed by the National Revolutionary Council. Members of the council were not named.

In London, Kwame Ametia, 40, calling himself director of Ghana's "revolutionary council in exile," said he engineered the coup that overthrew Nkrumah. Ametia said the council consisted of five members in Britain and 10 in Ghana. He told reporters the coup was planned for next August, but Ghana's army officers insisted on going ahead now while Nkrumah was out of the country.

Source in Accra said Thursday the coup had originally had planned for Ghana's independence day, March 6, but pushed up because of Nkrumah's absence.

### Fire Damages Garage Wall

About \$150 damage was done to a garage wall at 3844 Amroth Thursday night when a fire began in a small pile of rubbish.

## Your Good Health

## Many Tests Often Needed To Zero In on Sickness

By JOSEPH MOLNER, MD

Dear Dr. Molner: The other day, discussing low blood sugar, you wrote that "a convulsive disorder should be ruled out." Maybe I am not very intelligent but I am not sure what this expression means. How do you "rule out" convulsive disorders or other conditions? — J.P.

This phrase "ruling out" is frequently used by physicians, rarely by anyone else. Without doubt I will use it some more, and an explanation (which is quite simple) obviously is in order.

There are a good many ailments which are entirely different yet can have similar symptoms. In the instance you cite, low blood sugar can have certain symptoms — but so can convulsive disorders, with epilepsy the most frequent one.

Obviously there is no point in treating the patient for low blood sugar if the real trouble is some form of epilepsy. Therefore it makes sense to conduct tests which will "rule out" convulsive disorder, or prove that one is not responsible.

This comes up again and again.

again in health care. The patient may seem to have severe attacks of indigestion, but it is vital to "rule out" heart disease before instituting treatment for the "indigestion." Or one may suspect heart disease yet have to "rule out" gall bladder disease before knowing how best to treat.

When some possibility can be "ruled out," it narrows things down so you can be sure what is the trouble.

Dear Dr. Molner: I am a mother in my mid-thirties. What can be done for a rectal itch that produces tiny white worms? What could be the cause? — MRS. D.R.

It sounds like pinworms, so see your doctor and by all means take along some of those tiny worms for him to identify.

Quite aside from your own comfort, there is the risk of others in your family getting this parasite. Adults as well as children can have pinworms. Indeed, when children are treated successfully for pinworms, yet get it again, often the reason is that adults in the family, not treated, later pass the pest along to the children again.

Dear Dr. Molner: I am a healthy woman of 31 but since the age of 11 have noticed hairs around the nipples of my breasts. My husband says this is not normal and I should cut them off with scissors. Is this growth normal or is something wrong with my hormones? What would happen if I cut them off with scissors? Will there be a stubble regrowth? — MRS. B.W.

This is not "abnormal!" It happens fairly frequently, although not, of course, to everybody! It doesn't mean a hormone problem. It's just a quirk of nature. Your husband is right: If the hairs annoy you, clip them off with scissors. They will grow again, but then clip them again. I would NOT advise pulling them (they'll still regrow) or using other hair-removers.

NOTE TO MISS B.M.H.: That tanning drug, while not certain to succeed, may be helpful to you when you go South. It has to be taken under a physician's supervision, and he will be on the lookout in case any side effects develop. Sometimes there are some; sometimes not. If you decide to try it, have your doctor start it and not wait until you have gone South.

## The Weather

FEBRUARY 26, 1966

Mostly cloudy, a few showers. Little change in temperature. Winds light. Friday's precipitation, 11.1 mm. Sunshine, 1 hour 18 minutes. Recorded high and low of Victoria, 49 and 42. Today's forecast high and low, 52 and 40. Today's sunrise 7:02; sunset 5:52; moonrise 9:35.

East Coast of Vancouver Island — Mostly cloudy, with scattered showers. Little change in temperature. Winds light. Friday's precipitation, .07 inch. Recorded high and low at Nanaimo, 48 and 37. Today's forecast high and low, 50 and 35.

West Coast of Vancouver Island — Cloudy with scattered showers. Little change in temperature. Winds southeast 15.

Forecast high and low at Estevan Point, 48 and 38.

### TEMPERATURES

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St. John's	10	20	0.0
Halifax	20	30	0.0
Montreal	24	37	0.0
Ottawa	24	37	0.0
North Bay	20	31	0.0
Port Arthur	1	26	0.0
Kenora	21	30	0.0
Winnipeg	-10	17	0.0
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### Reflection Waits for Dollar Bill

Many Island scenes, like this one near Camp Nimpkish, deserve a spot on a Canadian bill. Here, snowy Pinder

Peak rises and is reflected in the still waters of Loon Lake, a popular fishing spot.—(E. J. Cooke)

### Lent on Salt Spring

## Ministers United

By BEA HAMILTON  
FULTON — An evening service at St. George's Anglican church saw history made on Salt Spring Island when combined churches celebrated the beginning of Lent.

### Children's Show Will Tour Island

Vancouver Island youngsters will have an opportunity to see several top performers soon, in a touring production of Hansel and Gretel.

The show will tour Island elementary schools April 4 to 9 and April 18 to 23. Bill Hsieh, well-known entertainer with Victoria's Smile Show and in Vancouver clubs, appears in the children's production.

Bastion Theatre is producing the show for the tour and for April 12 to 16 performances at McPherson Playhouse.

### Meeting Topped Scout's Career

### Spring Tea Success

PARKSVILLE — One of the most successful events of its kind put on by Old Age Pensioners here was the spring tea and bake sale in the Legion Hall.

About 110 residents of the district were welcomed by the president, W. W. C. O'Neill, who opened the tea and presided at lunch while Mrs. C. W. R. Attwood, general convener, was hostess.

Spring flowers on the tea tables and Valentine motifs added a colorful note and piano music played by Mrs. Iva Coysh provided a background during the serving of tea.

### Swinemen Tour Island

DUNCAN — President of the Cowichan Agricultural Society Henry Westwick and his wife will be the hosts at a luncheon to lay at the Tawehalem Hotel, Duncan for about 35 members of the Canadian Swine Breeders' Association.

Presently attending their first annual meeting in British Columbia at Vancouver the delegates will take time out Saturday to tour The Island.

While here they will visit the Crofton Pulp Mill. The luncheon is being provided by the City of Duncan and the North Cowichan Municipality and the agricultural society. Representatives from all three will attend.

### Winners Named In Basketball

LAKE COWICHAN — Winners in the Central Vancouver Island basketball games played at Lake Cowichan High School gym last Saturday were Qualicum High School girls, with runner-up Chemainus High School.

In junior boys section the winners were Woodlands School, Nanaimo, with Lake Cowichan boys in second place.

Last year the Salvation Army in Canada provided shelter for 1,157,000 homeless and unattached men (3,050 each night).

Conducting an evening service, three priests, Rev. Father William Mudge of the Roman Catholic Church, Rev. E. W. McQuarrie of the United Church, and the rector of the Anglican Parish, Ven. Archdeacon R. B. Horsfield.

"This is an event in Christianity on Salt Spring Island," said Father Mudge, who gave the lecture.

Deep emotion filled the packed church as denominations sat together, the mixed choir sang together, and the three priests stood before the altar.

LAST SUPPER  
"This is what the Christ meant when He spoke at the Last Supper, that all should be one, and perhaps we are fulfilling His wish," said Father Mudge.

"Lent is a time to get to know your neighbor—to speak even to those whom you dislike—to be kind and to get to know God."

WORTHY EXAMPLE  
"Tonight we see a symbol of love in this church—an example worthy to be followed."

This had been a long-time dream of the rector of the Anglican Parish—to see all churches working in harmony.

United Church and the Roman Catholic Church have willingly co-operated.

MORE SERVICES  
Through Lent, these combined services will be held Wednesday evenings at 7:30.

March 2, Archdeacon Horsfield will lecture at the United Church service. March 9, Mr. McQuarrie will be at Our Lady of Grace Roman Catholic Church.

March 16, Rev. William Mudge will take the United Church in Ganges, March 23, Rev. McQuarrie will be at the Ganges United Church, and March 30 Archdeacon Horsfield will be at Our Lady of Grace Church.

"We are not changing our services—each church will conduct the regular service. In that way we shall all learn," said the rector.

"This is a great step forward," said Archdeacon Horsfield.

New district commissioner, Phil Wright, Qualicum Beach, attended the Second Parksville Scouts Group Committee event.

Tribute was paid to retired District Commissioner Harry Butler by Mr. Wright who said the former commissioner left a very high standard of service to live up to.

Also welcomed was district commissioner Miles McAlonan of Qualicum Beach.

Mr. McAlonan said he hoped he will be of assistance in instituting new regulations now being introduced for Scouts and Cubs.

About 125 fathers and sons and guests attended the event at the Community hall.

Mrs. Laura May and Mrs. Gordon Baker of the group committee were in charge of catering and were assisted by Mrs. Blower, Mrs. B. Lane and Mrs. R. Dillon.

'Alcohol Major Disease'  
NANAIMO — "Alcohol is an addictive drug subtle in its effects," R. L. Clarkson told the Nanaimo branch of the Women's Temperance Union this week.

Mr. Clarkson, supervisor of the Victoria branch of the Alcoholism Foundation of B.C., was speaking at a founder's day tea in St. Andrew's United Church.

He called for society to be more understanding in its attitude towards the alcoholic.

PERSONALITY  
"It's a major social disease, a sickness largely due to the personality of the person addicted," he said.

Mr. Clarkson decried liquor advertising which is geared to show pleasure, while the unhappy results are never advertised.

He deplored the drinking parties of teenagers which cause so much trouble, and said public education and money is needed to combat the dangers of cultural attitudes to drinking.

### Qualicum District News

## Club Wants New Rink Floor

By DOROTHY BUTLER  
QUALICUM BEACH — President Orlan Rye and director Larry Haddon of the Qualicum District recreation club attended a recent meeting of the village council, seeking support of a suggestion made by the club for a centennial project for the village.

This would be the installation of a cement floor in the curling rink, at an estimated cost of \$8,000.

Before making a decision, council will seek recommendations from the Cement Institute and the Canadian Ice Machine Company.

Qualicum Beach Chamber of Commerce, represented by J. Craig Reid, president, requested a grant of \$1,686 to cover costs of advertising and publicity, and the operation of the tourist bureau for 1966. The major expense shown in the budget was \$605 for 20,000 brochures. Council approved the grant.

COOMBS — A full slate of officers was elected at a recent annual meeting of Coombs Community Hall board.

Newly elected are: Wilfred Gamble, Don Brittain, Alvin Anderson, Morris Key, Joan Oakes and Margaret Smith.

Mrs. George Ward takes office as secretary; Morris Key, chairman; Alvin Anderson, vice-chairman. Re-elected are William Yirrell, Jack Iankow.

Members of the hall board will act as the recreation committee.

COOMBS — Ladies' Auxiliary to the Coombs Volunteer Fire Department recently elected a

date of officers, with Norma Gamble taking office as president and Irene Van Horne, vice-president.

Ernest Smith, chairman for the election of officers, will be treasurer. Executive committee is Margaret Cornell, Agnes Yirrell, and Joyce Neden.

A Hard Times barn dance is planned for April 22.

QUALICUM BEACH — Mrs. Audrey Burnand, noted nature photographer, will be featured on Bob Fortune's television program Klahani sometime in the next few weeks.

Bob Fortune, well known to CBC television viewers, accompanied by a cameraman and sound engineer, was in Qualicum Beach recently to film the program, which will include the showing of a selection of slides made by Mrs. Burnand.

ERRINGTON — Feb. 28 was the date set by the Errington Centennial Committee for a general meeting to be held in the War Memorial Hall at 8:00 p.m.

Residents are asked to attend to discuss centennial projects and to offer suggestions.

### BEEN BITTEN BY THE TRAVEL BUG YET?

This summer it's harder than ever to put off that trip to Europe. You have the choice of a record number of 49 transatlantic jet flights every week. And it's cheaper, too! BOAC with Air Canada has the only direct flights from Canada to Britain and there are seven weekly Hudson Bay services direct from Vancouver. From April 1 new low transatlantic air fares come into effect. (Example: A 21-day Economy Excursion Vancouver-Zurich will cost you only \$606\* return—a saving of \$22). Let the Travel Bug bite you. See Europe this summer. But first... see your Travel Agent.

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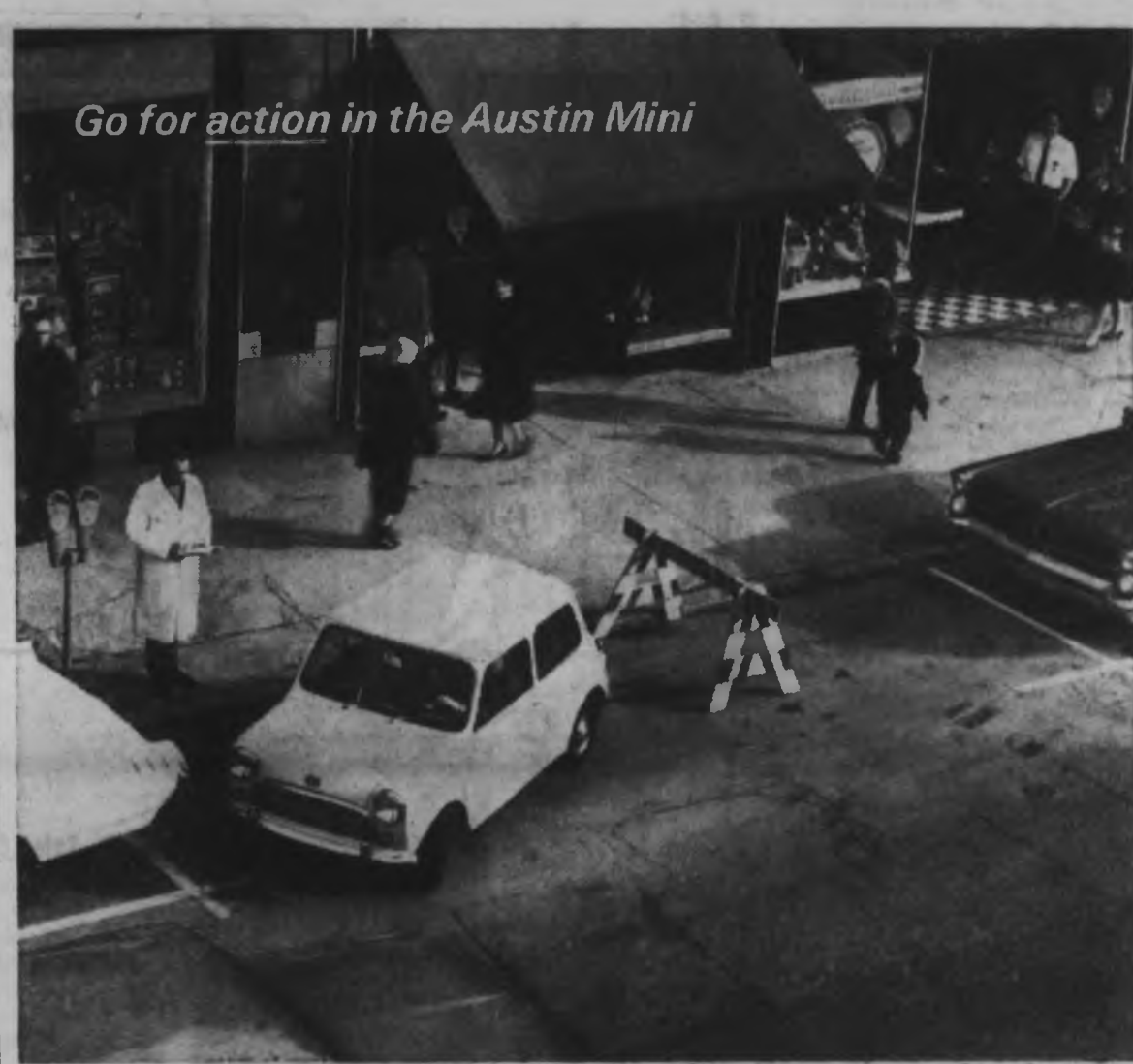
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# 'Same Power Rates'

If B.C. Hydro takes over the East Kootenay Power Company, it should provide the same power rates as the rest of the province, the legislature was told Friday.

Harry McKay (L. Fernie)

said this private company now sells wholesale power to Cranbrook, Kimberley, Fernie and Creston. It also sells to the province, the legislature was told Friday.

centres are much higher than the domestic power rates charged by B.C. Hydro," he said.

"In addition to buying the shares of East Kootenay Power Company Limited you must also buy the distribution systems in Cranbrook, Kimberley, Fernie and Creston and the people must have the same rates as in the rest of the province."

Mr. McKay told the House there is no cocktail lounge in Fernie and that there is too much of the "bottle under the table" type of drinking.

There is no logical reason why someone should not be allowed to build and operate a cocktail lounge unrelated to the hotel business, he said.

"Drinking is part of our social life and though some of you on that side do not like to admit it, this government makes a pretty good thing out of the drinking habits of the people."

The Fernie Liberal suggested students who have to leave home to attend institutions of higher learning should be given a board allowance and some sort of travel allowance.

## Mossler Case

## Defence Rests As Witness Proved Liar

MIAMI, Fla. (AP)—The defence rested Friday after wiping from the record part of the testimony of a key witness against Candace Mossler and her nephew, Melvin Lane Powers.

Circuit Judge George Schultz instructed their murder trial jury to disregard testimony given by an Arkansas convict, Arthur Grimsley, on his second trip to the witness stand Feb. 26.

Grimsley had come back to say that he made a mistake when he testified earlier Powers was in Arkansas June 15-17, 1962, offering him "the price of two Cadillacs" to kill Mrs. Mossler's wealthy husband, Jacques.

**POWERS IN HOSPITAL**

It was after the defence discovered Powers was in a Houston hospital on those dates that Grimsley returned to say that the deal was made in March rather than June.

Schultz struck out the second testimony after the defence claimed officers tipped Grimsley on his error and led him to change his earlier story—a violation of the rule against discussion of testimony outside of court.

**FALSE IN RECORD**

The action leaves Grimsley's original account—now proven false—in the record.

Grimsley also had testified that after he agreed to kill Mossler, Powers called a woman in Houston he presumed to be Mrs. Mossler and told her "he'll do it."

**LOOSE ONE: WIN ONE**

While losing Grimsley's testimony, the state succeeded in strengthening that of another convict witness, Billy Frank Mulvey.

A. J. Gelfert of the Houston police narcotics squad said he recommended leniency for Mulvey when he was arrested for theft in 1964 and charged under the Habitual Criminal Act. Under this act, conviction means an automatic life sentence.

**FIRST OFFENDER**

Mulvey was tried as a first offender and got a five-year term. The defence said this was

## Quebec, B.C. Sign Agreement

Commercial Transport Minister Robert Bonner announced Friday that a reciprocal agreement has been reached between B.C. and Quebec on the licensing of moving vans.

B.C. trucks can now deliver furniture in the province of Quebec and through the province of New Brunswick "which they have not done to any extent previously because of high licence fees in the province of Quebec," he said.

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# Cong Villagers Defect to South

SAIGON (UPI)—A Communist defector persuaded 276 fellow citizens of his Viet Cong village to defect to the central government Friday in a major U.S.-engineered propaganda coup.

On the war front, 211 of the enemy were killed in five major offensive sweeps.

Nguyen Sae, 37, surrendered to Marines of Task Force Delta, sweeping a coastal area about

350 miles north of Saigon in the second phase of operation Double Eagle. He told them he was from Huong Tho, a village long under Communist control.

Brig. Gen. Jonas M. Platt, commander of Task Force Delta, armed Sae with a loud-speaker and sent him over Huong Tho in his personal helicopter. After strong urgings, the villagers began streaming out of their homes carrying small bundles of possessions.

The marines immediately corpemen treated them for moved them to the refugee vil-malnutrition and other mal-lage of Tu Hiep, where medical dies.

## Corporation of the Township of Esquimalt ZONING BY-LAW AMENDMENT NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the Municipal Council of the Corporation of the Township of Esquimalt has been requested to and itself proposes to amend By-law No. 195, being the "Zoning By-law 1947" to authorize:

- the rezoning from Multiple Dwelling to Industrial District of Lots 2 and 4, Plan 1585, W. 212 Devonshire Road, to permit the construction thereon of a building for the manufacture of plastic products;
- the rezoning from Two Family Dwelling to Multiple Dwelling District of Lots 2, 3 and 4, Plan 1648 and Part of Amended Lot 12, Block 18, Plan 198A, Lamson Street and Witherspoon Place, to permit the use thereof to provide additional accommodation for the Old England Inn;
- the zoning of Lot A, Plan 1444, Starbuck Avenue, to permit the construction thereon of a public school.

All persons who deem their interest in property to be affected by the proposed rezoning will be afforded an opportunity to be heard on the matters contained in the proposed amending By-law at a Public Hearing to be held at the Esquimalt Municipal Hall, 1228 Esquimalt Road, on Monday, the 14th day of March, 1966, commencing at 7:00 p.m.

The proposed amending By-law may be inspected at the office of the undersigned on any working day except Saturday, between the hours of 9 a.m. and 5 p.m.

J. W. Allan,  
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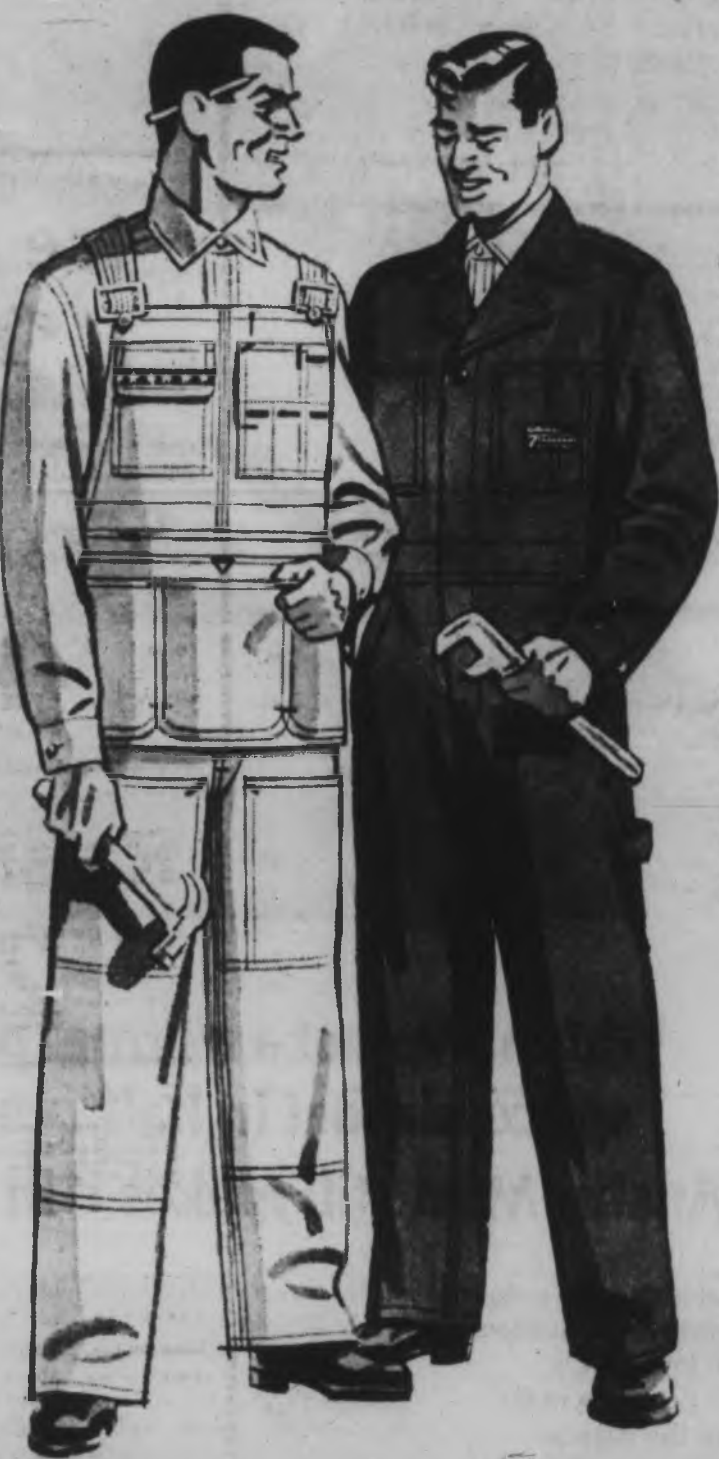
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## Safer Intersection in Works

Traffic island at junction of Oak Bay Avenue and Newport begins taking shape as Oak Bay municipal workman Azex Chahley sets up concrete forms. Corner has been widened to give better vision and traffic island has been installed to slow traffic. Project is being carried out under Oak Bay's winter works program. Paving will commence next week. —(William E. John)

## Names in the News

# Boy Axed from School Until Tresses Trimmed

SEATTLE (AP) — A judge has ruled that Tom Pol, 13-year-old junior high school pupil, must get his hair cut or continue his education somewhere else.

Superior Court Judge Donald L. Gaines ruled the action of the school principal in suspending Pol because of his Beatle hair style was neither unreasonable nor arbitrary.

The judge dissolved a temporary order which has restrained Bostell Junior High School from suspending Pol. School authorities had contended the long hair was a distraction in the classroom.

The boy's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Bernard Pol, testified they considered the length of their son's hair the family's business. The father said they had no intention of having Tom's hair cut now, but might seek private tutoring or enter him in another school.



Kravchenko

NEW YORK — A former major in the Soviet army, who defected to the United States during the winning days of the Second World War, committed suicide because he was "depressed about the war in Viet Nam." The body of Victor Kravchenko, 61, who lived in recent years under the assumed name of Peter Marlin, was found in his east side Manhattan apartment by a close friend Robert St. Claire.

EAST LOS ANGELES, Calif. — At 10 minutes after midnight last New Year's Eve William Sleukov, a 43-year-old laborer, opened the front door to his home to check on his car. He felt something sting him above his left ear. Sleukov's scalp began to throb and swell so he went to a doctor who removed a 25-wilber bullet from Sleukov's scalp.

LETHBRIDGE — John D. Bannerman of Lethbridge was puzzled when he got a letter in January asking him to send payments for an encyclopedia set to Vancouver. "I have never bought an encyclopedia so naturally I wrote and told them so," he said. It turned out that Mr. Bannerman has a Calgary namesake who was married on the same date, July 17, 1951, and whose age was close.

WASHINGTON — The U.S. Marine commander in Viet Nam told President Johnson his men are winning there, and came away from the White House with a promotion to lieutenant general. The nomination of Maj. Gen. Lewis W. Walt, 53, for three-star rank jumped him over 21 senior Marine major generals.

MOSCOW — Russian space dogs Blackie and Breeze are orbiting Earth aboard the Cosmos 110 satellite alive and in good condition. Tass said the two dogs—Ugolyok and Veterok respectively—are their Russian names—were doing "quite satisfactorily."

SHAWNIGAN, Que. — Former grave-digger Marcel Beralier, 44, has been sentenced to be hanged July 22 for the capital murder of 43 years ago of 16-year-old Denise Therrien.

NEW YORK — A grand jury has returned an eight-count indictment, against Robert Friede, 25, an heir to the Annenberg publishing empire. Friede, nephew of Walter Annenberg, editor and publisher of the Philadelphia Inquirer, had been charged with homicide in the narcotics death of Celeste Cresshaw, 19, after the girl's body was found in the trunk of a car Friede was driving.

## Courtroom Parade

# Man Admits Contributing After Girls Found Dazed

Two runaway teen-age girls were found in a dazed state on a bed-chamber in a downtown apartment Thursday night. One of the girls had to be forcibly aroused. Both had been given Tuinal sleeping pills.

Gordon Truscott pleaded guilty in central magistrate's court Friday to contributing to juvenile delinquency and was remanded to March 4 for a pre-sentence report.

**CLOTHES OFF**  
Det. Edward Hardy said he went to Truscott's apartment at 1124 Fort Thursday night.

Truscott got up in a dazed condition, he said. A 16-year-old girl, naked from the waist down, had to be forcibly aroused, Det. Hardy said.

A 15-year-old girl was also lying on the bed and she was in a drowsy condition.

**OUT OF HOSPITAL**  
Truscott said he had met the girls in the afternoon and had given them Tuinal—pills, court was told.

"The accused said he was under a doctor's care and was released from hospital three days ago," Det. Hardy said.

Both girls had run away from their homes, court was told. Truscott told Magistrate

William Ostler: "There was no sex involved, Your Honor."

Magistrate Ostler replied: "That is a matter of interpretation."

Truscott admitted he had been convicted of intoxication Thursday and had been given time to pay his \$15 fine.

Larry Allen Preston was committed by Magistrate Ostler for trial on a charge of possession of narcotics.

Earlier in the month, Preston was committed for trial on a charge of breaking and entering and theft.

Det.-Constable Edward James said he went to the rear of the premises at 114 Yates Jan. 25 and found a pinch bar and axe under the garage roof sheeting.

**EYEDROPPER**  
The following evening he returned with Det.-Constable Murray MacArthur and the tools were dusted with fluorescent powder.

At this stage, he found a small package which contained an eyedropper, a rubber bulb and a vial—containing some liquid.

A sample was taken from the bottle which was then replaced under the sheeting, court was told.

**HID ON ROOF**  
Det.-Constable James said he hid on the roof and 40 minutes later he heard a window go up and someone come down a fire escape.

A person walked to where the package was and Det.-Constable James then grabbed him. The man was Preston, he said.

He found the package about four or five feet from its original position.

**WITHDRAWING**  
"Preston said he had never seen the axe or pinch bar before," Det.-Constable James said.

When asked if he wished to make a statement, Preston said he had been framed, court was told.

He said he had been on withdrawal from drugs for the last three weeks," Det.-Constable James said.

To defence counsel Neil Stewart, the detective denied that he told Preston to pick up the package from the roof.

**NEEDLE MARKS**  
Det.-Constable MacArthur said he found two fresh needle marks on Preston's arm when he searched him Jan. 26.

He admitted to Mr. Stewart that he had interviewed Preston earlier on Jan. 26 and denied that any physical force was used.

He agreed that it was suggested to Preston that he leave town and said the Preston replied: "When do you want me to leave?"

RCMP Cpl. Walter Semeroff

said the sample taken from the bottle was analysed in Vancouver as a narcotic.

He said Preston told him that he was on withdrawal treatment and that he told his doctor he would not need the three prescriptions he had left.

The defence called no evidence. Mr. Stewart submitted that the Crown had a weak case and that it had failed to relate the tools and the drug to Preston.

**SUSPENSION**  
Cragg, 21, pleaded guilty to driving without consideration for others and was fined \$250. His licence was suspended. He had two previous convictions for careless driving.

A city motorcycle policeman was forced into the path of oncoming traffic Thursday night by a woman driver.

The woman, Pearl Armstrong, 601 Raynor, pleaded guilty to impaired driving and was fined \$300. Her licence was suspended.

Mrs. Armstrong was driving in the curb lane on Pandora at 8 p.m. The motorcyclist was in the next lane, court was told.

**LANES CHANGED**  
Mrs. Armstrong suddenly changed lanes, forcing the motorcyclist into the path of oncoming traffic, Mr. Birkett said.

A car that left the Gorge Hotel Feb. 19 in a jerky manner almost hit the log railing on the Gorge bridge, court was told.

The driver, Emil Olson, 2944 Wascana, pleaded guilty to impaired driving and was fined \$350. His licence was suspended.

A breathalyzer reading of .21 was taken.

John P. Sim of Vancouver was fined \$400 for impaired driving. He had pleaded guilty to an earlier hearing and had asked then if he could retain his licence for business purposes.

Magistrate Ostler allowed him

to drive for business purposes only and placed him on a \$250 bond for six months.

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A car that was stopped as part of a traffic investigation Feb. 2 contained two 26-ounce bottles of wine.

The driver, Arthur Charles Du Gardein, 20, pleaded guilty to being a minor in possession and was fined \$35.

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## U.K. Ships Picketed

NEW YORK (UPI)—Longshoremen refused to load baggage and cargo on the Queen Mary and another British vessel Friday in protest against British trade with North Viet Nam.

About 250 members of Local 824 of the International Longshoremen's Association boycotted the luxury liner and another Cunard Lines ship, the freighter *Alania*, for two hours.

## RICHARD BURTON—ACADEMY AWARD NOMINEE

PLEASE NOTE NOT SHOWING MON. and TUES. DUE TO STAGE ATTRACTIONS

**Royal**

Best Actor  
For His Performance in  
**"THE SPY WHO CAME IN FROM THE COLD"**  
With OSKAR WERNER

Shows 12:30, 2:30, 4:30, 6:30, 8:30  
See it from the beginning at 1:00, 3:00, 5:00, 7:00, 9:15  
Last Complete Show 8 p.m.

## ENDS TODAY • EARLY MATINEE 12:30

A RIOT OF FUN!  
That Darn Cat leads the F.B.I. on the wildest, wackiest chase of all time!

**Walt Disney's THAT DARN CAT**

**CAPITOL** Today

Technicolor

Shows 12:30, 2:30, 4:30, 6:30, 8:30  
Last Complete Show 8 p.m.

## MONDAY • "WILD SEED" plus "DARK INTRUDER"

Hurry! ENDS SOON!

Jack Lemmon • Curtis  
Natalie Wood  
"The Great Race"

3rd GREAT  
WEEK

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Shows 12:30, 2:30, 4:30, 6:30, 8:30  
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A REVEALING COMEDY FOR GROWN-UPS

**LOUIS DE FUNES LE GENDARME DE SAINT TROPEZ**

in COLOR with English  
ABOUT ENTERTAINMENT DISCLOSURE

CARTOON AND SHORT  
Box Office 4:30; Complete Shows at 7:00 and 9:00

**FOX MEMO**

## TILlicum OUTDOOR

FRIDAY AND SATURDAY  
CARTOON AT 8:00

The West's First Teenage Gang!

**YOUNG FURY**

The first full-length Hootenanny musical!!!

**HOOTENANNY**

Hear 15 Folk-Song Greats Sing the Hootenanny Hits!

Shows 12:30, 2:30, 4:30, 6:30, 8:30  
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## United—And Above Quarrels

## Politicians Lag In Fallout Fight

By MARY TAYLOR

PORT ALBERNI — As arguments on falsehoods, who said what, and who killed what, pollute the legislative air in Victoria, residents of the Alberni wait for a smog solution.

And despite some misunderstandings, some hurt feelings, residents and officials outside

## MLA Says Socreds Stalling on Pollution

Nanaimo MLA Dave Stupich claims the B.C. government has no intention of seriously tackling the pollution problem.

Speaking in the legislature Friday, the New Democrat said a resolution introduced at one point by the municipal affairs minister "is inadequate."

He said "water and air pollution are becoming increasingly serious problems."

"However the government has given no indication that it is going to take this problem seriously."

## 'Don't Like Charity'

## Indians Need Loan Policy

By MILDRED KURTZ

PARKSVILLE — Indians need a way of getting loans to improve their situation, says an Indian spokesman from Nanaimo.

"Indians are a proud race, they don't like taking charity," said Mrs. Doug White, speaking Friday to the Voice of Women here.

## CROWN LANDS

She said Indians living on reserves are on Crown land, and cannot go to the bank to put up their property for a loan.

She told the audience that 30 years ago a government official said the Indians were a "dying race" and for that reason there would be no use updating laws relating to Indians.

## NOT DYING OUT

"But we are not dying out!" said Mrs. White.

Also speaking to the meeting

## Island North Team Captures Quiz Title

NANAIMO — A combined team from Courtenay and Port Alberni high schools will represent the Island in the televised Reach for the Top provincial competition.

The Island North team won the Island championship Friday night in Nanaimo, defeating a team from Courtenay High in a match 240 to 210.

Students on the Island North team won a \$400 scholarship for the two schools.

Members of the winning team were Glen Paruk and Lynn Gies-

## Seagulls Watch Workers

Seagulls watch with apparent interest as the waterfront landscape slowly changes at CPE development in Nanaimo. Bulldozer pushes rocks into water, clearing land for giant shopping centre project.

—(Agnes Fleet)

## Teen Meet Today

DUNCAN — The two-day Vancouver Island Teen Association Convention hosted by Duncan Teen Town will open today with 140 delegates from many Island points attending.

## \$100,000 Conversion

NANAIMO — Les Barley and his partners are planning to spend \$100,000 on the old Nanaimo Hospital, converting it into an office building.

Thursday night the Hospital Society approved the sale of the building and property to Mr. Barley for \$20,000.

He estimated it would be at least a month before the sale is approved.

At present the area is zoned residential, and Mr. Barley has applied to have this changed to commercial.

Campbell in his failure to re-introduce a pollution measure.

Many New Democrats are working against pollution, and they have faulted MLA John Squire at points where his enthusiasm for the fallout fight fell behind theirs.

Today, the general feeling seems to be "let's quit the bickering and name-calling and spend the time legislating."

Seldom has a more varied political group gathered than the Citizens Committee on Pollution.

Chairman Colin Wilson has long been active in politics, resigning from the NDP only a few weeks ago.

He many times acted successfully as campaign manager for both federal and provincial candidates.

## LEFT-LEANINGS

George McKnight is a widely-read student of various political theories, and is generally supposed to have strong left leanings.

Ed Hintz and Gus Frigstad, both on the committee, are Social Credit members.

## MUTUAL CONCERN

Liberals and Conservatives also sit on the committee. Mutual concern over pollution problems seems for the time being to have bound them solidly, regardless of political affiliation.

And expressions of disappointment and disgust with legislative handling of the whole pollution question are to be heard on all sides.

## INDEPENDENT BEST

"Right now, if an election was called, the only person who'd get solid support would have to be an independent," some party workers claim.

Said one Secord "Our patience is at an end. We're sick and tired of promises and inaction. We intend to demand, and we expect to get legislation, whoever has to start it."

## 'LIKE SCHOOL KIDS'

Others pointed to a recent 7 O'clock show, with Phil Gagliardi, Liberal leader Ray Perrault and David Barrett, NDP.

"They behaved like a bunch of school kids, yelling and bickering. Although they knew thousands were watching."

## LOFFMARK SPEAKS

Saturday night, Ralph Loffmark will speak on industrial development in B.C. at a meeting sponsored by the local Social Credit Association.

Sacred brass in Victoria are said to have promised that Mr. Loffmark will have some of the answers to questions which can expect to have buried at him by anti-pollutionists of his own and other political parties.

## BARBED COMMENT

Reports that the B.C. research council is to have a costly new building of 110,000 square feet with laboratories for applied biology, chemistry, physics and engineering have drawn barbed comment here.

Many Social Credit adherents are bitter. NDP supporters are disappointed, feeling that what municipal speakers have called "political overtones" locally, have been insignificant in comparison to the footballing problem has had in Victoria.

Saturday night's meeting with Mr. Loffmark may prove far livelier than the average political gathering in the Alberni Valley.

## Near Duncan in North Cowichan

## Arena Will Go Ahead Despite 'False Talk'

DUNCAN — North Cowichan municipality will build an arena near Duncan, even if Duncan city and unorganized district will not co-operate, an official has indicated.

## Publicity Group

## Tourist Records Broken

ALBERNI — Coun. Walter Dodsworth of Oak Bay has been re-elected to his third year as chairman of the Vancouver Island Publicity Bureau.

Meeting at the Greenwood Hotel here Friday, members chose directors for various areas of the Island.

Isabel Sandberg, Campbell River; George Manning, Cumberland; Mayor Les Hammer, Port Alberni; Arthur Brown, Qualicum; Ald. Bus MacDonald, Nanaimo; Stan Keeble, Duncan; Mary Backlund, Gulf Islands; Mayor A. W. Toone, Victoria; L. M. Tegelman, Sooke, and Mr. Dodsworth.

"More than 2,000,000 tourists visited Vancouver Island last year," said Mr. Dodsworth, indicating this is an all-time high.

Mayor Toone said "we can go a long way toward making this the most important industry on Vancouver Island."

At a directors' meeting following the general meeting, Mr. Manning was chosen vice-chairman.

Four directors-at-large were named: Frank Ney, Nanaimo; Coun. Ed Lum, Saanich; Don Cunliffe, Nanaimo; Ald. Geoffrey Edgelow, Victoria.

Coun. Dennis Hogan, chairman of North Cowichan recreation commission, said there has been talk that a southern arena would not be built if the city and South Cowichan do not assist.

## WAY TO SUCCESS

Mr. Hogan said the city and the unorganized area are under no obligation to help with the composite recreational project, suggested by the municipality.

He said their assistance would be desirable because "we all know division means chaos, and unification is the only way to success."

He added "at least we know the recreation commissions of the city of Duncan and the unorganized area are in favor of the project."

## PLAYING FIELD

The vote on the \$700,000 bylaw will be March 19.

The North Cowichan commission is studying a request for \$1,000 toward improvement of a playing field in the Crofton area.

The request came from the Crofton Community Centre which intends to make Crofton ball park available for baseball and softball with a running track at its perimeter.

Total cost is estimated at \$1,500.

## More News Of Island On Page 5

## Labor Council Scores Hospital 'Giveaway'



Georges: Celebration with 200

## Years Leap Ahead

By KLAUS MUENTER

DUNCAN — If only Leap Years counted, Walter George and his wife Alexandra still would be a young couple.

Their wedding Feb. 29, 1916, at Cowichan's St. Ann's Catholic Church would be a mere 13 years ago.

Lives don't work that way, they roll on continuously in the ocean of time, and Sunday

Mr. and Mrs. George will celebrate 50 years of marriage.

A retired longshoreman, Mr. George was born in the Cowichan Valley in 1898, and his bride came into the world two years later at Nanaimo.

Following a mass read for them at St. Ann's Church, the couple will be surrounded by 200 relatives, children and grandchildren when they sit

down to dinner at the Cowichan Indian band recreational hall at 2 p.m.

Among the many will be band missionary Father Joseph Rossiter.

Special tribute will be paid by the couple's 25 grandchildren and sons Benny of Duncan and Roy of Nanaimo, and their two daughters, Mrs. Lila Sam and Mrs. Rita Sam, both of Brentwood Bay.



Freemans: 'Morale is high'

## Rhodesian Morale 'Very High'

By PETER TAYLOR

NANAIMO — Ian Smith has a champion in Nanaimo.

Peter Freeman, 27, an accountant in a downtown bank, is 100 per cent behind Mr. Smith.

"I don't see economic sanctions bringing the government down."

"Old is now coming in from South Africa; Britain will not find her so easy to push around, and this has been proved in the past," he said.

## WORLD TRAVELLERS

Mr. Freeman and his wife Duane were both educated and brought up in Rhodesia, and are slowly moving around the world before going back to their homeland.

He maintained Rhodesians are firmly behind the Smith regime.

"Their morale is very high," he added.

## WILL DIMINISH

He agreed some censorship might be taking place in the press, but he saw this gradually diminishing as time goes along.

"The press is very pro United-Federal Party," Mr. Freeman said.

The United-Federalists are in opposition to the Rhodesian Front, Mr. Smith's party.

"I think he (Mr. Smith) was scared of such great opinion being expressed overseas that it might sway the resolve of the people in Rhodesia."

"He'll loosen up as things go along. He's not a dictator."

Lan Smith, he maintained, is still pulling his punches.

"If Mr. Smith really wanted to put the screws on, he could

deport the 1,000,000 black African workers from Zambia and Malawi and create a tremendous problem to the north."

"If you notice, Dr. Hastings Banda (head of Malawi's government) is not saying anything. He knows his lifeline runs through Rhodesia," he said.

NOT JAILED

Mr. Freeman claimed native political leaders are not jailed, but removed from the townships and kept on reserves.

"Most of the trouble-makers are unemployed hoodlums," he added.

## NOT KICKING THEM

"The idea is not to kick the blacks down. The present Africans now in school are the only ones we can start to do anything with."

"But this is difficult to do on taxes from only 250,000 white people. There's more money spent on African education than education of Europeans in the country."

A CLEAR LIGHT

The Rhodesian problem, Mr. Freeman saw in a very clear light.

"It's not a matter of majority rule, but responsible rule."

"Everything given to the Africans should be earned, not given on a silver platter."

"It's no good handing it over (to blacks) in the next five years and expect responsible government."

"Negotiated agreements are unknown among them, and political parties line up with the cubs now in school are the only

## Smith's White Rule Survives by Fear

NANAIMO — Rhodesia is nothing more than a police state being fed censored news, Richard Bower, president of the Victoria Chamber of Commerce, told Rotarians Friday.

Mr. Bower recently returned from a trip to Rhodesia.

"We would be wrong to think Mr. Smith has the full support of all white Rhodesians."

He estimated about two-thirds of the white people are behind Premier Ian Smith.

FEAR

"The present conflict is not black versus white, but legal government versus illegal government."

"Rhodesian Africans are still far from being able to take over the reins of government but it is this fear which has given Mr. Smith his large support."

He reeled off an impressive list of armaments now assembled by Rhodesia, enabling the country to give a good account of itself in any conflict.

"If an invasion occurred it is unlikely South Africa would stand idly by, and Portugal could also be drawn in."



## Ann Landers

Dear Ann Landers: This is a two-girl office and we have had it. Sue (for pseudonym) and I work for top-level executives whose incomes are way up there.

We don't mind doubling as waitresses (we make coffee every morning at 10 a.m. and again at 3 p.m.) nor do we object to washing the cups and saucers and bringing fresh cream every day, but when we ask the tycoons for \$1 each on the first day of every month to pay for the coffee, sugar and cream we get dirty looks.

Sue and I ante up \$1 each to pay for the coffee we drink. We don't resent the expenditure, so why do they? Any suggestions? — SAD SECS.

Dear Secs.: March in two strong and tell the bosses that you refuse to pass a tin cup like beggars every month. Ask for \$12 from each of them NOW as their annual coffee assessment. If they refuse, close up the kitchen and take your break at the joint downstairs or next door.

Dear Ann Landers: I am a 13-year-old girl who needs a job. Here is why: I live in a house with 12 other people. Right now there are 19 people under this roof because my sister and her husband and their four children moved in. My brother-in-law was laid off and they were evicted.

I have three older sisters so I get hand-me-downs worn by three other people before they get to me. I haven't had a new dress in so long I forgot what it feels like.

Last spring I needed a blue sweater for glee club. My dad said he couldn't spare the money so I had to drop out. He felt about it but there was nothing he could do. All the kids in the glee club knew why I dropped out and I wanted to die of shame.

Please don't suggest baby-sitting because by older sisters get first call on the jobs. The

last time I got to sit was New Year's Eve.

Don't tell me to talk to my school counselor because I am tired of having people feel sorry for me. — DESPREATE.

Dear Desperate: I am going to suggest that you see the school counselor and I hope you take my advice. Don't worry about anyone feeling sorry for you. If you don't feel sorry for yourself, people will admire your dignity and your willingness to earn your way instead of looking for handouts. Chin up — and get moving.

Dear Ann Landers: My son and his wife both work. June goes to her job at 7:30 a.m. and gets home at 4:30 p.m. Jim works from 5 p.m. until midnight.

Their little boy is not quite three years old.

Jim sleeps until noon, but the youngster gets up at 8 a.m. He's a good little boy and stays in his bed until his dad comes and gets him.

I would be happy to pick up the child in the morning and take him to my place until his mother comes home. He is no trouble and I enjoy him. Would I be an interfering grandma if I suggested it? — GRAM.

Dear Gram: I certainly feel sorry for the little guy from 8 a.m. until noon. How nice, however, to be able to spend several hours a day with his dad. Why not offer to come and get your grandson about 8 and bring him back to his father at noon? This would not be interfering. It would be a generous offer and an excellent solution.

Ann Landers will be glad to help you with your problems. Send them to her in care of this newspaper, enclosing a stamped, self-addressed envelope first call on the jobs. The



Miss Jeannine Moreau, 16-year-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Moreau, 2028 Runnymede, received the Gold Cord, one of the top awards in Guiding, at a special ceremony. A Girl Guide for the past four years, Jeannine is attached to the 10th Victoria Girl Guide Company and is a Grade 11 student at St. Ann Academy. — Kinsman

## Clubs and Societies

### SONS OF NORWAY

Sons of Norway is holding a bowling dance Saturday, Feb. 26, at 9 p.m. at the Sons of Norway Hall, 1110 Hillside.

### CONSUMERS

Consumers' Association of Canada, Victoria Branch, annual meeting will be held Monday, Feb. 28, at 1:30 p.m. in Easton's small dining room.

### CHRIST CHURCH WA

Afternoon branch of Christ Church Cathedral Women's Auxiliary will meet at 2:30 p.m., March 1, in Memorial Hall.

### FRIENDSHIP TEA

Final plans for a friendship tea to be held in the New Hall March 6 from 2 to 4 p.m. will be made at a meeting of Sacred Heart Council, Catholic Women's League, Wednesday, March 2, in the new parish hall, Lakeview Road.

### CHIEF'S VISIT

Grand chief sister Hazel Glover of Vernon will make her official visit to Capital City Temple No. 35 Pythian Sisters on Tuesday, March 1, at 8 p.m. in the K of P hall. A banquet in her honor will be held at the Gwynn's Grill dining room at 6 p.m. prior to the meeting.

### WHOLESALE

Mr. W. A. Tymchuk, director of the CNIB, will address the St. Joseph's School of Nursing Alumnae at the regular meeting to be held at 8 p.m., March 1,

in the nurses' residence. Mr. Tymchuk will speak on the work of the CNIB and will show a film on the eye bank.

### PENSIONERS

Old Age Pensioners Organization No. 5 will meet Wednesday, March 2, at 1:30 p.m. in the Pro Patria Hall, 625 Courtney Street.

### BRITISH ISRAEL

Mr. R. E. Avery will speak on Christianity and the Mosaic Law at a meeting of British Israel World Federation, Monday at 3 p.m. in the Newstead Hall, 734 Fort Street.

### IOOE CHAPTER

Robert Burns McMicking Chapter IOOE will meet Tuesday, March 1, at 8 p.m. in the home of Miss Molly Edgar, 3108 Westdowne.

### ROYAL ROADS

Royal Roads Chapter IOOE will meet Wednesday, March 2, at 7:45 p.m. at 1010 Oliver Street.

### KIWANIANES

Monthly meeting of the Victoria Kiwanianes will be held March 2 at Uplands Golf Club at 6:30 p.m.

### WHOLESALE

Mr. W. A. Tymchuk, director of the CNIB, will address the St. Joseph's School of Nursing Alumnae at the regular meeting to be held at 8 p.m., March 1,



Teen-agers have become a prime market for the fashion industry. This outfit by Manhattan features the popular long lean look. The boat-neckline tunic shirt with three-quarter ruffled sleeve is in a modern print and the poplin pants have perm-press finish. — (CP Photo)

## Big Business

# Fashions Now Designed To Please Teen-Agers

By MARGARET NESS

NEW YORK (CP) — Teen-agers are no longer being overlooked as a fashion group.

Clothes are being designed just to please them, and the effects of the trend have been so pervasive that adults have

escaped this spring from becoming an older version of the teen set complete with high boots and swirly shoulder-length or razored-off hairdos.

The increasing interest in teenage clothes is an economic one. Until recently mothers bought the teen wardrobes. There was no need to entice the teen-agers themselves into the stores.

Now teens are big business, especially since, in Canada, about half the female population is under 25.

Another factor is that pre-teens and teens now have allowances and earn money. They're spending it on clothes they themselves — not their mothers — choose.

At the New York Couture Group's spring showings, Sears Roebuck presented a large group of young clothes to be featured in their newly-opened Junior Bazaar shops in leading Sears stores.

Simpson-Sears of Canada expects to have similar boutiques by fall. In the meantime, its larger stores will stock some of the Junior Bazaar fashions.

### LIKE GEOMETRICS

What's in store in 1966? While not as interested in the Mondrian abstractions of last season, haute couture is ignoring the Mondrian look entirely, the teens still like geometrics.

Off-beat ideas are often added, as in the stretch beach dress in purple and yellow geometrics with a white target-

circle dead centre, designed by Gayle Kirkpatrick, the up-and-coming New Yorker, for Atelier.

The target of port-hole circle is also popular in adult casuals. At the Canadian collection shown recently in Montreal, designer Lydia Sperlich introduced it in a rain costume of vinyl and cotton.

Smocks are popular, especially in crepe. Sears showed a smock shift with high-yoke and ruffled sleeve trimmed in velvet threaded through eyelet lace. Another, for late day, was in white silky acetate knit, banded at the neckline, cuffs and hem in navy. There are even smocked suede "baby dresses."

Granules continue to interest teens. The fad for these ankle-length, high-waisted dresses of their grandmother's era started with the Mods in London, took California by storm and then crossed back to New York. Canadian teens haven't gone quite as mad about them.

### SKIRTS SHORT

Skirts are short. Many are what now are called "filipeas" — a skimpy skirt that flaps out at the hem. Betsey Johnson, a young New York designer, has a smart one for Puritan Fashions in pin-dotted, navy-and-white, double-knit cotton.

Pants are always important in teen wardrobes. Some for spring are even in voile, a surprise fabric, as in purple dot hip pants worn with matching floral print. Incidentally, a mixture of dots and florals in any costume is high-fashion.

Hip-riding pants continue the Western influence. In Canada, Miss Sun Valley is showing a group of "Broncho" jackets and slims. Bell-bottoms and straight-legs are both popular.

In accessories, it's the new crocheted-textured stockings by Hanes in antron and stretch-nylon, a hit with teens in white the newest spring color fancy. Teens are even co-ordinating velour knee-highs with matching headbands worn toward the back of the head.

Boots continue to intrigue the teen. For spring it's wide-calf-high and is reptile printed or white smooth leathers. Lacing, floppy ribbons and shoe-string ties abound on sandals and flaties. There's even polka-dot patent leather and combina-

1,427 alcoholics were received into Salvation Army Harbor Light Centres in Canada last year, and 680 were satisfactorily discharged.

## Feminine Logic

Status is a simple matter of insincerity. — Jean Flynn.

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# Modern Housewives Avoid Spring-Cleaning Trauma

By GAY PAULEY

NEW YORK (UPI) — The traumatic event known as "spring cleaning" is no more, claims one professional cleaning organization.

A good portion of the 48,000-000 women who faithfully tore up the house and scrubbed it from top to bottom in former days no longer does so in one all-enveloping sweep. Instead, cleaning is a year-round process in most homes and today there's a more significant peak in the fall than in the spring.

So says Servicemaster, which calls itself the largest home and office cleaning concern in the nation and is in with a roundup on how times have changed.

Maybe the woman of the house no longer hangs a carpet across a clothes-line for the children to beat out the dust with a broom. With electric clothes dryer, is there still a clothesline? With a vacuum sweeper, is there still a broom? wonder?

But I'd argue that there is still some spring cleaning, no matter how faithful the weekly rout of dirt — like cleaning closets and drawers and re-lining as winter clothes go into storage and spring ones come out.

To the professional cleaning people, not only has the timing of cleaning changed, but so has the approach. Air-conditioning, new and cleaner heating systems, self-cleaning appliances, and easy-care fabrics for curtains, draperies and bedding all have combined to reduce the need for the annual scrubdown.

For instance, says Servicemaster, mother used to hang out and air all bedding prior to a seasonal changeover. Daughter merely machine washes bedding, and if she uses an electric blanket rarely changes the weight of the bed covers.

Mother took down, washed and stretched the curtains and gave the blinds a scrub. Daughter dips the easy-care curtains or drapes in suds (or sends them to the cleaners) and she's apt to use a miracle cleaner on the blinds.

Mother put slipcovers on furniture to make the house look cooler and protect good fabrics from summer dust and fading. Daughter depends on the air-conditioner for cooling and filtering dirt from the air.

Mother would spend a day scrubbing the range. Daughter uses an easy-care cleaner that unpeels the crustiest of stoves rapidly or owns a self-cleaning oven.

## Nurses' Registry Continues

In 1909 the registry for the private duty nurses for B.C. was formed in Victoria. It has been in continuous use since that time.

Now that the local office is being closed, the nurses do not wish this service to the public to lapse, and accordingly have arranged to have the Telephone Answering service accept calls where special registered graduate nurses are required. Information may be obtained through a doctor or the hospital.

## Weavers Plan Exhibit

At a meeting of the Victoria Handweavers' Guild, it was announced that Mrs. H. L. Gonnason will be in charge of an exhibition to be held in the Art Gallery in the fall. She will be assisted by Mrs. K. Porter and Mrs. A. Anderson.

New members welcomed were Mrs. H. M. Lawford, Mrs. H. L. Henderson, Mrs. F. W. Mackon, Mrs. D. J. Steeves and Miss Joan Robertson.

A demonstration was given by the standards committee.

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## Sukarno Bans Anti-Reds

SINGAPORE (AP) — President Sukarno of Indonesia ordered a powerful anti-Communist student organization dissolved Friday, banned all demonstrations and imposed a curfew on Jakarta, a broadcast from the Indonesian capital reported.

Sukarno acted after the student organization led a five-mile funeral parade of 10,000 through Jakarta protesting what they called the "new Communist cabinet." Marines and police with machine-guns watched but reports in Singapore said the army sympathized with the students.

The students marched in a funeral parade for three comrades—one a girl—who were shot by guards in a demonstration outside Sukarno's palace Thursday. The students were protesting Sukarno's firing of Gen. Abdul Haris Nasution, an anti-Communist, as defence minister in a cabinet reshuffle Monday.

Banned was the pro-army Indonesian Student Action Front. It led the demonstrations outside the palace as well as the funeral parade.

Jakarta radio said Sukarno also banned all student gatherings of more than five persons anywhere and warned action would be taken against trouble-making students.

The Jakarta curfew starts at 10:30 p.m. and lasts until 6:30 a.m.

Nasution, who led the Communist purge after the Communist-supported coup attempt Oct. 1 failed, has vanished from Jakarta. Reached by telephone in Jakarta, his wife said she did not know where he had gone.

Sources in Singapore, with contacts in Jakarta said all government offices were closed and many shops were shut during the funeral parade.

## Stupich Estimates

### Downstream Benefits Down Drain by '67

All the money given to British Columbia by the United States for downstream power benefits on the Columbia River will be used up by the end of 1967, a New Democrat MLA estimated Friday.

David Stupich (NDP, Nanaimo-The Islands) told the legislature he figures that \$501,000,000 will be spent on the Columbia project by the end of next year, while B.C. will have received only \$373,000,000 in interest and the original payment.

#### WOULD BE SHORT

Financing of the project to that date would be \$128,000,000 short, he said, which along with \$12,000,000 interest would amount to \$140,000,000.

Mr. Stupich told the House the government is not spending a world famine relief fund which had been established.

#### SURPLUS FUND

He proposed the government should draw \$1,000,000 from its surplus revenue fund for a special account from which five per cent interest payments, or

\$50,000 a year, could be earned and turned over to the United Nations International Children's Emergency Fund.

The MLA also said he does not see any point in stockpiling a large surplus revenue fund.

#### NOT DEBT-FREE

He said the government cannot claim to be debt-free because the B.C. Hydro alone has a total liability of nearly \$1,000,000,000, or \$547 per person in the province.

This is a "very real liability to the people of this province," who have to pay in their light bills the five per cent interest on this debt.

## LBJ Meeting Press Today

WASHINGTON (UPI)—President Lyndon Johnson was scheduled to meet with reporters for a formal news conference today.

## Russians Move Troops Near China Frontier

MOSCOW (AP)—Mongolia and the Soviet Union ratified a new treaty of alliance Friday as unconfirmed reports reached Moscow that two or three Soviet army divisions have entered Mongolia.

The troops were reported sent recently because of Chinese military concentrations near Mongolia, which lies between China and Soviet Siberia.

## Help for Chronic Alcoholics, Too

# Licence-Lifting Bill Bared

By JACK FRY  
Legislative Reporter

Attorney-General Robert Bonner's assault on alcohol continued in two fronts Friday. New legislation aimed at getting borderline impaired drivers off the road was introduced in the legislature.

A second bill will give magistrates the power to try to rehabilitate chronic drinkers instead of sending them to jail.

The road safety section of a bill containing a number of amendments to the Motor Vehicle Act authorizes officers to confiscate for 24 hours the

licence of any driver who has liquor on his breath.

If the driver wants to get his licence back immediately, he will have to prove either by a medical certificate or a breathalyzer test that his body blood alcohol content is less than 0.08 per cent.

The attorney-general explained outside the House, however, that "police may not use roadside suspensions as a means of gathering evidence for further proceedings under the Criminal Code."

He said the .08 per cent level is an "arbitrary figure" which

was originally recommended by the Canadian Medical Association and which the Canadian Bar Association once suggested should be included in the drinking driver section of the Criminal Code.

Mr. Bonner said officers

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## Dogwoods to Bloom At Tokyo Palace

Lands and Forests Minister Williston flew to Japan Friday with a handful of dogwood saplings for Crown Prince Akihito and some information about B.C.'s timber policies. Premier Bennett told the legislature Mr. Williston left by CPA and will return very shortly.

"He takes with him a number of dogwood saplings which I promised would be sent to their Imperial Highnesses, The Crown Prince Akihito, and the Princess Michiko."

The premier visited the imperial residence in May. At that time he presented a painting of B.C.'s dogwood floral emblem.

He said the royal couple showed interest in the tree and said they had in their garden trees from all over the world.

"I suggested that we would be honored to have them accept some dogwoods from us to symbolize the close ties which were being developed between Japan and B.C."

While in Tokyo, Mr. Williston plans technical discussions with Honshu Pulp and Paper over their development at Skookumchuck.



Williston, sapling

## Prison Gates Opened By New Ghana Regime

By KENNETH L. WHITING  
ACCRA (AP) — Ghana's new military regime opened the gates of the Nkrumah regime's

prisons Friday and 450 political detainees, many feeble and ill, came out.

Thousands of relatives and friends crowded around massive Ussher Fort and other jails. While firing continued briefly against a last stand by elite guardsmen of the old regime, the new leaders started a round-up of Nkrumah supporters and took steps to overhaul the country's virtually bankrupt economy.

#### FOUGHT FOR RADIO

The fighting was for control of Radio Ghana, seized by the rebels early Thursday morning. A number of special guards were reported killed in a clash at Broadcasting House.

At nearby police headquarters, Lt.-Gen. J. A. Ankrah, chief of the new National Liberation Council, appointed a seven-man group to get the country moving toward prosperity.

#### TWO DOZEN DEAD

Unofficial figures indicated 20 to 25 persons were killed in the coup, including 10 to 14 of the Soviet-trained presidential guard.

The gunfire was reported to have erupted on a visit to radio headquarters by Col. E. K. Kotoka, believed to be the active leader of the revolt.

#### COUNTRY CALM

Otherwise the country of 7,300,000 persons was calm. A Tass dispatch from Peking quoted Nkrumah as saying "I am returning to Ghana soon."

Te army and police continued a hunt for officials of Nkrumah's Convention People's party, outlawed when Nkrumah was deposed and the constitution suspended Thursday.

Despite the hunt, administration of Ghana outside Accra was turned over to the regional civil service instead of the armed forces.

Among those being sought in the countryside was Geoffrey Bing, 56, a left-wing British lawyer who has been Nkrumah's close friend and adviser since before independence in 1957. Some called him the power behind the ousted president.

The Ghanaian Times, formerly a special organ of the

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## I'll Be Back —Nkrumah

MOSCOW (UPI) — Ousted Ghanaian president Kwame Nkrumah said in Peking Friday that he still considers himself constitutional head of the government and that he will return to Ghana "soon."

Foreign Minister Alex Quaison-Sackey, who accompanied Nkrumah on his Far East mission, said the Ghanaian Asian mission "will be continued and that the president known about the situation in Ghana."

## Reds Blame U.S., U.K.

MOSCOW (UPI)—The Soviet news agency Tass said there were "increasingly clear hints that the U.S. Central Intelligence Agency and the British Intelligence Service had a hand in the overthrow of President Nkrumah of Ghana."

## Quebec Bankruptcies

# NIELSEN OPENS BARRAGE

By RON COLLISTER  
Colonist Ottawa Bureau

OTTAWA—Conservative crime-buster Erik Nielsen said last night that he can show the link between murdered Montreal lawyer Francois Payette and the bankruptcy racket in Quebec.

Starting his much-heralded, new expose of scandal, Mr. Nielsen indicated he is holding his main fire until the government answers written questions he has put on the order paper about bankruptcies. But Friday he gave the Commons a taste of what is to come.

He accused Justice Minister Cardin of minimizing the racket and added: "Bodies are being dug up all over the province of Quebec."

Cardin exploded: "Does the fact that bodies are being dug up all over Quebec or any other place mean it has something to do with bankruptcies?"

#### FAVEEN ERUPTS

Nielsen: "Does the minister sit there and endeavor to suggest to me that the murder of Payette is not linked with fraudulent bankruptcies?"

Cardin: "Can you say that it is?"

Nielsen: "I can and will do so after the minister has answered my questions."

"How?" erupted Guy Favreau, president of the Privy Council and casualty in Nielsen's last scandal-busting spree, the revelations over the Rivard case.

Nielsen snapped that he could name five companies that Payette was connected with, but he would not do so yet.

"It will be done after the minister produces the answers to my questions," he added. Payette's body was found stuffed in the trunk of a car in Montreal. His business was mainly bankruptcy cases.

#### MAJOR ISSUE

Fraudulent bankruptcies became a major issue in the election campaign last year.

Tory leader Diefenbaker accused the government of hindering the government of hindering.

## Montreal

## Bandits Grab \$100,000

MONTREAL (CP)—Two men scooped an estimated \$100,000 from teller drawers at a bank branch Friday and escaped while frightened employees watched.

The robbers, armed with pistols and machine-guns, smashed through a window about 20 minutes before the Bank of Montreal branch, in the Hydro Quebec building on Dorchester Blvd. W., opened.

A spokesman for the bank set the loot at "about \$100,000."

#### STOOD GUARD

One bandit stood guard at a waiting car outside while two others pushed two tellers aside and gathered up money from cash drawers. A fourth came through the broken window but stayed just inside. One report said a fifth man was in the car.

J. A. Dandurand, manager at the branch, who was an eyewitness, said the men pushed the tellers roughly, saying "Move aside, you..." in French. The man at the window also swore and urged the others, "Quick, quick, step on it."

#### NO ONE HURT

He said five other tellers were standing behind the counter but they were not molested as they had not been given their money for the day. He said all were in reach of alarm devices to warn police but everyone, including himself, was paralyzed.

# Space Whittles at Man's Blood, Bones

By ALVIN B. WEBB JR.

HOUSTON (UPI) — U.S. astronauts lose bits of their blood and bones during voyages in space, medical experts said Friday.

Moreover, it appears, the cosmic pilots cannot quite divorce themselves from the Eastern Standard Time zone despite the 45 minute "days" and "nights" they live in orbit.

It is not, however, as serious as it might sound. At least, that was the optimistic tone of medical papers presented before some 750 delegates attending a three-day Gemini mid-conference review.

Several doctors said astronauts aboard two of America's marathons Gemini flights through space had somehow lost part of their red blood cell masses and some of the bone-

hardening calcium from their skeletons.

Gemini 5 astronauts L. Gordon Cooper and Charles Conrad and Gemini 7 pilots Frank Borman and James Lovell, eight and 14 days in orbit respectively, "lost 7 to 20 per cent of their red cell mass," said Dr. Lawrence F. Dietlein of the Manned Spacecraft Centre.

No one seemed to know what happened to the red cell mass. But Dr. Charles Berry, the astronauts' personal physician, suggested earlier this part of the blood could have migrated to another part of the body or perhaps was completely expelled.

Bone calcium also tends to diminish during weightlessness, according to a team of doctors who spend some amount of time

studying astronaut heel bones and fingers.

Dr. G. Donald Whedon of the National Institute of Arthritis and Metabolic Diseases expressed concern that "significant losses" of calcium and other body mineral "in spaceflights continuing over several weeks theoretically could lead to a serious weakness of bone and muscle."

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## Prisoners Freed

Convention People's party, quickly fell into line with the coup.

"The people of Ghana forever remember this day as a day when they saw the first ray of true freedom," it says in an editorial.

The leaders of the coup said they overthrew Nkrumah because he suppressed individual rights and liberties, ran the country "as if it were his own personal property" and had forced Ghana to the brink of bankruptcy.

As the army consolidated its hold on the country the airport was reopened for daylight traffic and telephone and cable links to the outside world were restored.

### PRISONERS FREED

Accra radio announced 400 more political prisoners, foes of Nkrumah, would be freed by the National Revolutionary Council. Members of the council were not named.

In London, Kwame Amikye, 48, calling himself director of Ghana's "revolutionary council in exile," said he engineered the coup that overthrew Nkrumah.

Amikye said the council consisted of five members in Britain and 10 in Ghana. He told reporters the coup was planned for next August, but Ghana's army officers insisted on going ahead now while Nkrumah was out of the country.

Sources in Accra said Thursday the coup had originally been planned for Ghana's independence day, March 6, but pushed up because of Nkrumah's absence.

### Fire Damages Garage Wall

About \$150 damage was done to a garage wall at 3844 Amroth Thursday night when a fire began in a small pile of rubbish.

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## Drinkers Hit

will now have to decide "on the spot" whether to suspend a driver's licence or charge the person with impaired or drunken driving. But can't do both.

The new suspension law will be brought into effect in different areas as the dates are set by the provincial cabinet, he said. Earlier, the attorney-general had said Vancouver Island and the Lower Mainland will be the first areas affected.

One section of the new amendment states that a car involved in an accident in which more than \$100 damage was caused, cannot be repaired until a notice is attached to it by a peace officer, indicating that the accident has been duly reported and the owner has complied with all necessary requirements.

Another section states that

a car brought into B.C. from another province no longer has to be registered here immediately because of a 30-day deadline which will be allowed.

The House also gave first reading to the bill to rehabilitate alcoholics, which is an amendment to the Summary Convictions Act.

It provides that when a chronic alcoholic is convicted of an offence under the Government Liquor Act, the magistrate may suspend sentence on condition that the person attend a treatment or rehabilitation centre.

Two other courses of action are left to the magistrate: He may pass sentence or order a one to 12-month term at an institution where treatment and rehabilitation is provided for chronic alcoholics.

### Your Good Health

## Many Tests Often Needed To Zero In on Sickness

By JOSEPH MOLNER, MD

Dear Dr. Molner: The other day, discussing low blood sugar, you wrote that "a convulsive disorder should be ruled out." Maybe I am not very intelligent but I am not sure what this expression means. How do you "rule out" convulsive disorders or other conditions? — J.P.

This phrase "ruling out" is frequently used by physicians, mainly by anyone else. Without doubt I will use it some more, and an explanation (which is quite simple) obviously is in order.

There are a good many ailments which are entirely different yet can have similar symptoms. In the instance you cite, low blood sugar can have certain symptoms — but so can convulsive disorders, with epilepsy the most frequent one.

### TESTS NEEDED

Obviously there is no point in treating the patient for low blood sugar if the real trouble is some form of epilepsy. Therefore it makes sense to conduct tests which will "rule out" a convulsive disorder, or prove that one is not responsible.

This comes up again and

again in health care. The patient may seem to have severe attacks of indigestion, but it is vital to "rule out" heart disease before instituting treatment for the "indigestion." Or one may suspect heart disease yet have to "rule out" gall bladder disease before knowing how best to treat.

When some possibility can be "ruled out," it narrows things down so you can be sure what is the trouble.

Dear Dr. Molner: I am a mother in my mid-thirties. What can be done for a rectal itch that produces tiny white worms? What could be the cause? — MRS. D.E.

It sounds like pinworm, so see your doctor and by all means take along some of those tiny worms for him to identify.

Quite aside from your own comfort there's the risk of others in your family getting this parasite. Adults as well as children can have pinworm. Indeed, when children are treated successfully for pinworm, yet get it again, often the reason is that adults in the family, not treated, later pass the pest along to the children again.

Dear Dr. Molner: I am a healthy woman of 31 but since the age of 11 have noticed hairs around the nipples of my breasts. My husband says this is not normal and I should cut them off with scissors. Is this growth normal or is something wrong with my hormones? What would happen if I cut them off with scissors? Will there be a stable regrowth? — MRS. S.W.

This is not "abnormal." It happens fairly frequently, although not, of course, to everybody! It doesn't mean a hormone problem. It's just a quirk of nature. Your husband is right: If the hairs annoy you, clip them off with scissors. They will grow again, but then clip them again. I would not advise pulling them (they'll still regrow) or using other hair-removers.

NOTE TO MISS B.M.H.: That tanning drug, while not certain to succeed, may be helpful to you when you go South. It has to be taken under a physician's supervision, and he will be on the lookout in case any side effects develop. Sometimes there are some, sometimes not. If you decide to try it, have your doctor start it, and not wait until you have gone South.

## The Weather

FEBRUARY 26, 1968

Mostly cloudy, a few showers. Little change in temperature. Winds light. Friday's precipitation, nil. Sunshine, 1 hour 18 minutes. Recorded high and low at Victoria, 49 and 42. Today's forecast high and low, 52 and 46. Today's sunrise 7:02; sunset 5:52; moonrise 9:35.

East Coast of Vancouver Island — Mostly cloudy, with scattered showers. Little change in temperature. Winds light. Friday's precipitation, 0.7 inch. Recorded high and low at Nanaimo, 48 and 37. Today's forecast high and low, 50 and 35.

West Coast of Vancouver Island — Cloudy with scattered showers. Little change in temperature. Winds southeast 15.

Forecast high and low at Esquimalt, 48 and 38.

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Kenora	1	28	26
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